

PRIMARY ELECTION JUDGES APPOINTED

List of Judges appointed for Primary Election, August 1st, 1922. The first three, are Republicans, the other three, Democrats:

Commerce Precinct, Commerce Mo.—R. B. Heuchan, Henry Miller, E. F. Hutson, Wade Anderson, Mrs. T. F. Frazier, Wm. Simmons.

Diehlstadt Precinct, Diehlstadt—John Nichols, J. F. Bagwell, Jr., J. R. Kirkpatrick, Will Michael, Ben Berns, Steve Ohmes.

Lusk Precinct, Charleston, R. F. D.—P. M. Britt, Tom Scott, Lawrence Probst, Joe Stricker, Mrs. Joe Stricker, C. E. Hurley.

Blodgett Precinct, Blodgett—Wm. F. Bradley, John Austin, Henry Sahmley, Dell Swinney, W. A. Scarbraugh, J. S. Peal.

Sikeston, 1st Ward, Sikeston—Earl J. Malone, M. A. Arterburn, Ernest Arterburn, Audrey Chaney, Chas. L. Blanton, Jr., H. C. Young.

Sikeston, 2nd Ward, Sikeston—A. F. Lindsay, W. O. Scott, A. B. Dill, T. A. Wilson, W. H. Sikes, Pauline Cook.

McMullin Precinct, McMullin—W. J. Kindred, Jake B. Smith, George Clifford, Leonard McMullin, William Simpson, Ed Bean.

Rootwad Precinct, Sikeston—Oscar Collins, J. S. Hodges, N. L. Randolph, Sayers Tanner, P. A. Stone, Ben Hahn.

Miner Precinct, Sikeston—W. J. Milem, Roland Malcolm, D. D. Warren, John Powell, James Hinkle, Jno. Reiss.

Crowder Precinct, Crowder—Arnie Utley, Lem Hamby, Walter Smith, W. J. Page, Walker Taylor, Wm. Pratt.

Kelson Precinct, Kelson—L. J. Dannenmueller, Louis Dohogne, Matt Thomas, E. L. Walter, Lawrence Heuring, Andy Pfefferkorn.

Fornfelt Precinct, Fornfelt—G. E. berg, F. M. Gardner, C. E. Young-Collins, S. A. Barton, H. L. Blumenhouse, Pete Calliott.

Illmo Precinct, Illmo—Mrs. George Weir, Maurice Craig, C. W. Russler, T. L. Huggins, Mrs. O. Keeling, R. D. Rice.

Chaffee Precinct, Chaffee—Mrs. Leah Abernathy, Mrs. H. L. Steifel, P. N. Keller, Chas. Scheen, H. H. Washburn, Mrs. Bruce Halbert.

Ansell Precinct, Ansell—Andy Blattel, J. G. Thomas, Charles Blattel, Wm. Welter, Barney Heuring, Mrs. Pharr.

Benton Precinct, Benton—Wm. J. Kraft, M. G. Timenstein, Andy Robert, L. Schott, A. L. Daniels, Jas. McPheeters.

New Hamburg Precinct, New Hamburg—John Stike, John Schlitt, Sol. Diebold, Joe Dirnberger, Mathilda Schoen, John Birnberger, Jr.

Morley Precinct, Morley—A. A. Evans, J. N. Shores, L. R. Graves, Hal Boyce, C. D. M. Gupton, E. Daugherty.

Oran Precinct, Oran—Ben Lions, Frank Tenkhoff, John P. McCarty, Leo LeGrand, Clarence Sanders, Lloyd Poe.

Vanduser Precinct, Vanduser—Fred E. Black, D. A. Potter, Joe Miller, W. A. Smith, Ammon Batts, L. O. Williams.

Bleda Precinct, Oran—Phillip Heuring, Gus Behnhardt, G. C. Newell, Joe Bechel, John Dehogne, Jeff Slinkard.

Perkins Precinct, Perkins—W. G. Irwin, Weely Miller, J. P. Nichols, A. B. Ware, Wm. Smith, W. E. Kinder.

Petit Jurors for August Term: Commerce—Joe Ledure, C. M. Wyllie.

Kelson—Charles Heisserer, Geo. J. Thomas, H. G. Townsend, Andy Pfefferkorn, Harry Stiefel.

Richland—Wade Sitzes, Elmer Matthews, A. W. Wylie, John Witt, A. A. Harrison, Murray Tanner.

Sandywoods—Jeff Hubbard, John Payton.

Morley—Luther Gobson, J. M. Chostner, Tom Sittion.

Moreland—Carter Foster, William Spalding.

Sylvania—Harry C. Watkins, Walter Dillingham, Tom Patterson.

Tywappity—J. F. Bagwell, Jr.

STATE OF MO. NOT A STRIKE BREAKER

Sedalia, Mo., July 8.—"The State of Missouri is not a strike breaker" declared Gov. Arthur M. Hyde in a telegram received tonight by striking shopmen of the Missouri Pacific Railway, in reply to one the strikers had sent to the governor appreciating "the air and impartial position you have taken by refraining from calling upon the state troops in connection with the rail strike". In their telegram to the governor the striking shopmen assured him that they would do everything in their power to prevent violence or destruction of property and would stand behind the constituted authority at any time. The governor's reply assured the strikers that if their stand was made good there would be no necessity to call out the Missouri National Guard in connection with the strike.

PETITIONS FILED FOR STATE REDISTRICTING

Jefferson City, Mo., July 6.—Initiative petitions for state senatorial redistricting were filed with Secretary of State Becker late today by Dr. E. B. Clements, chairman of the Republican State Committee.

Secretary Becker received and accepted the petitions and will not formally accept them for filing until the formality of checking them up as to sufficiency and compliance with requirements of the law has been gone through with. There are about 60,000 signatures.

Chairman Clements said there is no doubt as to the sufficiency of the petitions. They are from the First, Second, Third, Fourth, Fifth, Sixth, Seventh, Eighth, Ninth, Tenth, Fourteenth, Fifteenth and Sixteenth Congressional districts.

All of the petitions were checked up before filing. Dr. Clements said, with the exception of those from the Seventh District, and there is no doubt as to their sufficiency.

The senatorial districts sought to be established by vote of the people next November are those laid out in April, 1921, by Gov. Hyde, Attorney General Barrett and Secretary of State Becker, and which were ruled out by the Supreme Court on the ground that the state officers named were without authority to do the redistricting.

Under the districts as thus arranged, should the initiative prevail at the election, Kansas City will have four instead of two State Senators, while the City of St. Louis will have her representation in the Senate increased from six to eight Senators.

NEGROES REFUSE TO ACT AS STRIKE BREAKERS

Springfield, Mo., July 8.—Officials, who accompanied Chief of Police Welch to the Frisco shops here last night when several negroes were escorted from the property, said today they were notified by strikers that negroes were held against their own free will and that they want to investigate. Welch asked the negroes if they wished to continue to work and a number replied that they did not. They were then taken off the Frisco property. The negroes are now being fed by the strikers.

T. A. Wilson and sister, Miss Irma, are in Jefferson City on a business trip.

Word was received in this city Thursday, that Wm. Ellis, formerly sheriff of Scott County and now a special agent for the terminal railroad in St. Louis had been shot in the arm. The wound is not considered dangerous. No particulars were obtainable when the Jim went to press.—Illmo Jimpluette.

Teh Sikeston ball team journeyed down to Canolou Sunday for a game of ball. It was intended to be a practice game, but turned out to be a regular game. Bill Malone pitched for Sikeston and must have done a good job from the way the score was held down, but the other fellows had some team, too, from the score of 1 to 0 in favor of Canolou. This was a shock to Sikeston, but the boys say if Canolou can hold out this way they can draw a good crowd when they play a return game at Sikeston.

Morley—Frank Keen, L. O. Williams, Louis Watkins.

Moreland—Ben Huber, Tom Dickerson.

Sylvania—F. J. Amrhein, Frank Meir, Wm. Pobst.

Tywappity—Joe Stricker.



For Men and Women

Walk-Over Shoes

America's Greatest Value
Shoe



Buckner-Ragsdale Store Co.

Leading Men's Store of Sikeston

TRAIN SERVICE ON MO. PA. CURTAILED

Beginning Tuesday morning, July 11, passenger trains 431 and 432 on the Missouri Pacific between Poplar Bluff and Cairo will be discontinued indefinitely. One round trip per day between Bird's Point and Poplar Bluff will be made, going east at the usual time in the morning and returning in the evening. Shortage of coal is given as the reason though it is suspected that the striking shop mechanism has more to do with it.

The Brownie Organization

Sir Robert Baden-Powell, the founder of the Boy and Girl Scouts movement, (or Girl Guides as they are called in England), is also the instigator of the Brownie organization for younger girls. Although comparatively new in this country the Brownies are increasing daily in the United States, as there is need for work of this kind among little girls too young to become Girl Scouts, and England has thousands of little Brownies scattered throughout her United Kingdom.

Any girl can become a Brownie who is over 6 and under 11 and does her best to carry out the promise of the Brownies.

The object of the Brownie organization is to provide recreational training for small girls such as can be employed outside the school walls for inculcating the four necessary, but sometimes neglected ingredients in education:

- 1—Character and intelligence.
- 2—Interpretive play and patriotism.
- 3—Service for others and fellowship.

4—Physical health and hygiene.

Sir Baden-Powell does not advise introducing the Girl Scout training directly into that of the Brownies. It is not adapted to their psychology and would tend to rob the Brownie of her ambition to be ultimately promoted to the higher grade of Girl Scout. His method is to meet and encourage the child's desire for active achievement through play and self-expression instead of forcing her submissive acceptance of imposed instruction.

The Brownie Headquarters are at 189 Lexington Ave., New York City, as are the Girl Scouts', with Mrs. Warren G. Harding, Honorary President, and Mrs. Woodrow Wilson, Honorary Vice-President.

All leather guaranteed shoes, \$2.00 and \$2.50.—Pinnell Store Co.

Miss Leona Gallivan of New Madrid was the guest of Sikeston friends over Sunday.

Miss Leona Gallivan of New Madrid was the guest of Miss Addie Dover from Thursday until Sunday evening.

California growers let 8,000,000 cantaloupes rot rather than let them go to market at a price within the means of consumers. They ought to know that overstocked markets are due to high prices, and not to any lack of consuming appetite.—George Bailey, Houston Post.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Anderson very delightfully entertained with a lawn party on the lawn at their home on Tanner Street, Thursday evening from 7:30 to 9:30, complimentary to her house guests, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Huckaby, of Jacksonville, Ill. and Dr. and Mrs. Ewert, of Chicago, Ill. Many of the old friends and neighbors took advantage of this opportunity to greet Mr. and Mrs. Huckaby and daughter, who had lived here several years ago.

FARMER KILLS MAN AND THEN SURRENDERS

New Madrid, Mo., July 9.—Walter Archie, 40 years old, a farmer, was being held in jail here tonight without bond, following the shooting to death yesterday of James Sharp, 55, landowner of this vicinity. After the shooting, Archie surrendered to the authorities saying he killed Sharp with a shotgun at Archie's home, according to Sheriff Kerr, who declared the trouble resulted from a long dispute about personal matters between the men.

The coroner ordered Archie held for murder.

Canolou Man Severely Cut

As the result of an argument over family trouble Monday evening, Chas. Cathey of Canolou, aged 25; was badly cut by Eddie Glenn, aged 38, also of that place. Cathey received a cut on the biceps of his right arm, one at the pit of the stomach, and a 10-inch gash across his back. Both men were working on the Chas. Biser farm near Canolou.

Sheriff Ambrose Kerr spent all Tuesday morning on the Biser farm searching for Glenn, who had made his escape. It is thought that Glenn is on his way to Kentucky.

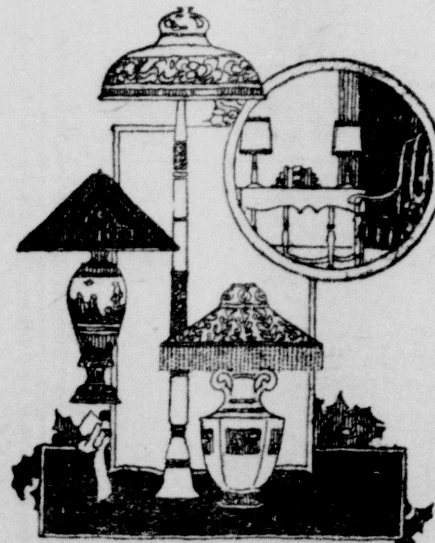
While Cathey's wounds are severe and painful, it is thought that he will recover from them in good shape. He has a wife and small son.—Portageville Missourian.

Wade Tucker and Kid Beach put on a wrestling match at Matthews Thursday night, July 13, at 8:30. Tucker is a wrestler of note and Kid Beach has a name in Cape Girardeau, his home, as being an artist in this line. Sikeston sports will not miss this event.

The Standard is not sufficiently posted on the railroad strike situation to make any comments, but will say that railroad labor voted almost solidly for Harding and a change and are setting it. It was a Harding railroad board that say the men were getting too much money and ordered a cut in wages. It is now a fight between the men and the Government. At Sikeston the pay of certain employees that were getting only \$67.50 per month were cut 4c an hour or about 36c per day. They were not getting enough money to start with and a cut to this class of labor is starvation wages.

LOOK

The lamps are fine but they can not



light out to see

Billy Terrell's Comedians

Here all this week

SIKESTON COMPANY CALLED TO COLORS

By direction of Governor Hyde, Adjutant General Raup has called the Sikeston National Guard to hold themselves in readiness to proceed to any part of the State of Missouri, where their services might be necessary owing to certain elements being in a "state of insurrection". The strike situation where certain employees have left the shops and will not permit others to work in them, is the real cause.

Forty-two men and six officers answered to the roll call and the boys are now in camp at the Fair Grounds.

Major Lyle Malone is the ranking officer with Capt. Harry Dudley, first lieutenant E. E. Arterburn and Franklin Smith and second lieutenants Tanner Dye and Rufus Reid in line.

Six hours of training each day is the program in order to have them in conditions for the hardest kind of field service. Here's hoping the call will not have to come, but if it does, that our boys will do their duty.

PRESIDENT HARDING SELECTED AS "GOAT"

Washington, July 7.—Here are the conclusions reached at the "salvation dinner" at Senator Lodge's house, Wednesday night, the story of which was told in the Post-Dispatch yesterday: The list represents the solemn judgment of the Republican "Council of Despair" as to the measures to be taken to avoid defeat of the party at the coming election:

1. Pass the soldier bonus bill back to the President. If he will not agree with the Senators on some form of a bill that can be passed he is to be asked to assume the whole responsibility of deferring the bonus until the short session of Congress.

2. Press the matter of cloture on the tariff bill, so that when it is defeated the candidates can point out to the people that Democratic votes prevented a speedy passage.

3. Abandon all idea of cloture by a majority vote, as it would bring on a filibuster that would prevent any legislation.

4. Seek a gentleman's agreement with the Democrats under which the minor tariff schedules should go thru with limited debate, while consideration of the duties on wool, sugar, etc., would have no restriction.

5. Get the President to agree to the postponement of the ship subsidy again until the December session.

It was agreed that the emergency demands that sacrifices be made right and left in order to effect the final adjournment of Congress on approximately August 25. It was agreed that the exigencies of campaigning made this necessary. It was held that every day Congress remained in session after August 25 would imperil Republican success. This, it was agreed, would chiefly arise from holding the elections too closely on the heels of an untimely bonus.

As to the bonus, it was held futile for Congress to pass a measure and have it vetoed by the President. In view of his various statements on the subject it was determined to take the topic up with him and go over the whole list of methods by which funds may be raised to meet payments. If an agreement cannot be arranged, the President will be invited to become responsible for deferment until next winter.

The effort to induce the President definitely to forego ship subsidy legislation until next winter has a subtle side. The opinion was almost unanimous among the Senators that this problem will solve itself. It was the almost unanimous view that when members of the House return, August 15, they will firmly inform the President that they will have enough things to explain at home without taking up the ship subsidy. Senators believed the House will take care of this matter.

A general disposition was manifested by Republican Senators to agree with the conclusions of their associates at the Lodge dinner regarding soldiers' compensation legislation.

Mr. and Mrs. Luther Spradling of Jackson motored to this city Sunday and visited Mrs. Spradling's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Moll.

Miss Lillian Bergman, who has been on an extended visit in the west, visited her sister, Mrs. Ned Matthews and family in Sikeston, last week. Miss Bergman will visit in Cape Girardeau before returning to the west.

KLU KLUX KLAN LECTURE SUNDAY

Dr. Roy E. Davis, high Klan official, spoke at the Malone Theatre to a full house, explaining the principles of the Knights of the Ku Klux Klan. The principles are as follows:

The Tenets of the Christian Religion.

White Supremacy.

Closer relationship between Capital and American Labor.

Protection of pure womanhood.

Preventing the causes of mob violence and lynchings.

Preventing unwarranted strikes by foreign labor agitators.

Prevention of fires and destruction of property by lawless elements.

The limitation of foreign immigration.

Closer relationship of pure Americanism.

The upholding of the Constitution of these United States.

The sovereignty of our State Rights.

The separation of Church and State.

Freedom of speech and press.

The much needed local reforms.

Dr. Davis stated that a man must not only be a native born white gentle American citizen, owing no allegiance to any foreign government politicians, but he must be a law-abiding citizen.

Dr. Davis stated in his address that the Klan was a pure 100% American organization and essential to the life of our government. That its members took an oath of allegiance to the Constitution of the United States. And swore to aid and assist the proper constituted authorities at all times and all places, when called upon to do so.

The organic and operative life of the Klan was touched on in detail, and it was stated that the Klan was legal in every respect, being passed on by the supreme authority. And the manner in which the Klan aided in law enforcement was outlined, and what an essential organization that it was the life of proper enforcement of law. It was stated that the Klan had never in one instance been proven guilty of law violation.

The following facts were also given for publication: There are 35000 Knights of the Ku Klux Klan in Missouri and the following towns in Southeast part of the state had been organized or was under the process of organization: Cape Girardeau, Morehouse, Caruthersville, Hayti, Steel, Jackson, Chaffee, and Kennett. The State will go under State government in the near future. There are twelve states at the present time under state government and a number ready to form their state organization. It was stated that every state in the union was under the process of organization or had already been organized. Texas leads in membership with 215,000; Ohio and Illinois are close seconds, Oklahoma third, with 92,000; Arkansas 81,000, Nebraska and Kansas with over 50,000 each.

Dr. Davis informed us that there were United States Senators, Governors, United States Congressmen and other officials as low as the town marshal, so long as they meet the qualifications as law abiding citizens. He contradicted the rumors that this order is put over on Masonic or Odd Fellow influence, stating there was no affiliation at all other than the fact over 90 per cent of its membership were members of both lodges.

It is rumored that a large class was initiated in to the Invisible Empire at a late hour last night. The sentiment seems to be that an organization of this nature could accomplish a world of good in this community.

There will be a second lecture given in the city sometime this week.

Raymond Moll, of Grand Chain, Ill., motored to Sikeston Sunday. He returned Monday morning, accompanied by his wife and children, who have been visiting Mrs. Moll's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Sheppard, for a few weeks.

One of the most enjoyable dances has been given in Sikeston this season was given Thursday evening at the Fair round Pavilion, with the Misses Bowman, Blanton and Dover as hostesses. The dance hall was tastefully decorated in green and white. Music was furnished by the Kid Orchestra. About one hundred and fifty guests were in attendance. The evening being delightfully cool, the dancers enjoyed every minute of the time. At midnight refreshments of sandwiches and cherry sherbert were served.

SIKESTON STANDARD

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Probate notices, minimum \$5.00**ANNOUNCEMENTS.****FOR CONGRESS**We are authorized to announce
Gibney Houck as a candidate for the
nomination for Congress from the
14th District, on the Democratic tick-
et, subject to the will of the voters
at the primary election to be held on
August 1.**COLLECTOR OF REVENUE**We are authorized to announce Emil
Steck, of Fornielt, as candidate for
Collector of Revenue of Scott County,
on the Democratic ticket, subject to
the will of the voters at the primary
to be held Tuesday, August 1.We are authorized to announce R.
L. Buck as a candidate for the nomi-
nation as Collector of the Revenue of
Scott County, on the Democratic
ticket, subject to the will of the vot-
ers at the primary election to be held
August 1.**PROBATE JUDGE**We are authorized to announce Thos.
B. Dudley, of Benton, as candidate for
re-election for Probate Judge, of Scott
County, on the Democratic ticket, sub-
ject to the will of the voters at the
primary to be held Tuesday, August 1.We are authorized to announce
Chas. A. Leedy as a candidate for elec-
tion to the office of Probate Judge of
Scott County, on the Democratic tick-
et, subject to the will of the voters at
the primary to be held Tuesday, Aug-
ust 1.**RECORDER OF DEEDS**We are authorized to announce
Axel Kjer, of Ilmo, as candidate for
Recorder of Deeds of Scott County, on
the Democratic ticket, subject to the
will of the voters at the primary to be
held Tuesday, August 1.We are authorized to announce Lee
J. Welman, of Benton, as candidate
for re-election for Recorder of Deeds,
of Scott County, on the Democratic
ticket, subject to the will of the voters
at the primary to be held Tuesday,
August 1.We are authorized to announce
Leo Pfefferkorn, of Oran, as a candi-
date for nomination as Recorder of
Deeds of Scott County, on the Dem-
ocratic ticket, subject to the will of
the voters at the primary to be held
Tuesday, August 1.**CIRCUIT CLERK**We are authorized to announce H.
F. Kirkpatrick, of Benton, as candi-
date for re-election for Circuit Clerk,
of Scott County, on the Democratic
ticket, subject to the will of the vot-
ers at the primary to be held Tues-
day, August 1.**COUNTY CLERK.**We are authorized to announce
Sherwood Smith of Ilmo, as a candi-
date for Clerk of the County Court of
Scott County, on the Democratic tick-
et, subject to the will of the voters at
the primary election to be held Tues-
day, August 1.**FOR REPRESENTATIVE.**We are authorized to announce Dr.
Fred L. Ogilvie as a candidate for
Representative in the Legislature on
the Democratic ticket, subject to the
will of the voters at the primary
election in August.**PROSECUTING ATTORNEY**We are authorized to announce B.
Hugh Smith, of Benton, as a candi-
date for re-election as Prosecuting At-
torney of Scott County, on the Democra-
tic ticket, subject to the will of the
voters at the primary to be held Tues-
day, August 1.**JUDGE COUNTY COURT**We are authorized to announce R.
L. Harrison, as candidate for re-elec-
tion for Presiding Judge of the Coun-
ty Court of Scott County, on the Dem-
ocratic ticket, subject to the will of
the voters at the primary to be held
Tuesday, August 1.**Reed and the Women**St. Louis is assumed to be the main
center of Senator Reed's strength. It
is upon the vote of St. Louis that his
supporters pin their hopes for his
nomination. This is one of the curi-
ous phases of this paradoxical cam-
paign. A Democratic candidate for
Senator, repudiated by his party, is ap-
pealing to the Democrats of Missouri
to forget the past and restore him to
their favor, while he counts upon a
city that is overwhelmingly Republi-
can to maintain him in office! But it
is no less curious, and it is far more
significant, that that in this Republi-
can city has arisen a genuinely Dem-
ocratic movement to array the Demo-
cratic women of Missouri against the
candidacy of Mr. Reed. Two hundred
and fifty women of St. Louis have or-
ganized under the sonorous and mean-
ingful title of "The Association of
Missouri Women Opposed to James A.
Reed", having adopted a platform that
is one of the most scathing indict-
ments of a public official ever framed
in American politics, and with the slo-
gan "Rid us of Reed" as their rally-ing cry have called upon the women in
every county in the state "to band to-
gether for immediate action in the pri-
mary campaign against Mr. Reed".
They urge the Democratic women of
Missouri to organize "Rid-us-of-Reed
Clubs", "call meetings, distribute lit-
erature and placards, send out speak-
ers and write letters setting for the
truth as to Mr. Reed's senatorial
record of obstruction, destruction and
reactionary policies."It is the record of all history that
every destroyer is himself destroyed by
the consequences of his own acts,
often by acts that he regarded light-
ly, as of little importance. Senator
Reed's chief weapon of obstruction
and destruction is ridicule and thru-
out his career he has hurled his shafts
at the aspirations of women for the
advancement of their sex and the im-
provement of their conditions. "He
has consistently maintained a superci-
ous attitude—sneering, insulting and
contemptuous in his treatment of pub-
lic measures advocated by women", de-
clares the platform of this association
of women organized to oppose him,
and the official annals of the Senate
support this assertion. Mr. Reed
might have opposed the suffrage, ma-
ternity and other measures vigorously
and aroused no enduring animosity if
he had done it respectfully and fairly.
But when he flayed the progressive
women of the country with his sar-
casm, scorn and ridicule he sowed the
seeds of political retribution that are
beginning to sprout.And it is not for these things alone
that the women of Missouri, and, for
that matter, of the whole country,
have reason to condemn and oppose
Senator Reed. There is nothing so
dear to the heart of womanhood as
peace. There is nothing so abhorrent
to womanhood as war. It is true that
in the circumstances of war women
have shown themselves to be fully
equal to men in the quality of their
courage and their patriotic devotion.
But none the less they hate war, as
they ought to hate that insatiate mon-
ster than consumes their loved ones
and destroys the substance of all the
high and holy things that womanhood
cherishes. And ever they want peace,
ever they pray for it. But there is no-
where in America a more determined
and persistent foe of peace than Jas.
A. Reed of Missouri. That is an as-
sertion that he would vigorously deny.
But it is his record that proclaims it.There are just two methods of main-
taining peace. One is to create and
to keep a military force so great that
no enemy would dare to assail it. It
is a method that is vastly expensive,
and it often fails. The other is to pre-
serve peace by agreement and co-
operation to remove the causes of war
and thereby to prevent the outbreak of
war. The latter method Senator Reed
has opposed in whatever form it has
taken, with all his vigor and all his
undeniable talents for opposition. It
is the only method by which we can
with reasonable certainty secure the
blessings of peace for our children
and their children, but Mr. Reed will
have none of it. And he is no less op-
posed to the alternative. Is it not one of
his chief boasts in this campaign that he
opposed the army and navy proposals
with all his might? "I insisted that
our army should not exceed 100,000
men", he says, a mere skeleton of an
army, hardly large enough to form the
nucleus of an effective fighting force
in case of war, and no preventive of
war whatsoever. Senator Reed is
against any means for the prevention
of war, and he is against adequate
protection against war. Unless war is
prevented it is bound to come, and un-
less we are fully prepared for the
worst it is bound to be terribly de-
structive to us.This is a matter of the utmost con-
cern to the women of Missouri, for the
issue of peace and war means more
to women than any other, and the wo-
men of Missouri will be largely re-
sponsible for maintaining this unalter-
able foe of peace in the power of his
office unless they assert their right
and their might against him. His elo-
quent tribute to motherhood and his
cry that he "will not vote to send our
boys to fight in the quarrels of foreign
countries" are meaningless in the
face of his record whose certain trend
is to condemn our boys to fight
wherever the circumstances of inevit-
able war demanded and to make moth-
erhood a living symbol of agony.—
Globe-Democrat.One of the worst features of the
freedom of Ireland is the change in
names. Charles Burgess was Cathal
Brugha, but is now dead. A bullet
caused his death, not the change of
name. What a pity these good fel-
lows cannot get along without civil
warfare and mostly on account of re-
ligion, which leads one to suspect that
neither side has any to spare.Mrs. Kate Harris and daughters,
Misses Margaret Harris and Audrey
Chaney, and Mrs. Laura Smith, of
Sikeston, and Mrs. Louis Houck, of
Cape Girardeau, were guests of Mrs.
D. B. Riley and family Thursday.—
New Madrid Record.**About the Maternity Bill**In denouncing the Maternity Law
before audiences of Missouri voters
James A. Reed is simply setting up
his ignorance of science and his pre-
judice against advancement against
the enlightened opinion of American
womanhood, just as he set his person-
al opinion up against the combined
wisdom of his party two years ago.If he could have been at the Paris
Fair last August, when 460 Monroe
county mothers flocked to the tent
where two women were giving sci-
entific advice about the care of babies,
he would have realized to some ex-
tent, perhaps, that mother love is no
longer willing to place the life of a
child at the mercy of what he pleases
to call "mother instinct", which he
seems to think is an infallible guide.Mother love now revolts against
the practice of the mother or grand-
mother or bewhiskered father chew-
ing bread and meat in a germ-infest-
ed mouth and feeding it to the child
that has not yet cut its teeth.This used to be the universal cus-
tom in Monroe county and in every
other locality in the country.It was not mother instinct, howev-
er, which influenced women to stop
this practice. It was education.Just as soon as a mother learned
that diseases were communicated
from one person to another by germs
she came to understand that if her
gums were infected or her throat dis-
eased or her lungs impaired with tu-
berculosis, she would transfer the ma-
lady to her little one when putting in-
to its mouth, food that had been chew-
ed in her own.Mother instinct, probably inherited
from an ancestry which lived in a
childless women, he could, if he dared,
hard climate and clothed itself in furs,
used to cause women to wrap their
babies in flannels and keep them in
well covered cradles in summer as
well as winter. They quit the prac-
tice when it was demonstrated that
much of the infant mortality in hot
weather was due to such an unwise
policy.Right here in Paris the Appeal
editor could point to children who
would long since have been in their
graves if mother instinct, which old-
fashioned men like Senator Reed
would exalt above scientific discovery,
should have been left to its own de-
vices.A mother who is unable to supply
sufficient natural nourishment for her
babe must sustain it with something
else. The chances will be against the
child if she simply guesses what will
be good for it, as she will do if she
listens to Mr. Reed and lets instinct
decide.The fact that mortality rate is
lower in cities and towns, where ex-
pert advice is always at hand, than in
rural districts, where mothers too of-
ten must shift for themselves, is in
itself a vindication of those who
would reinforce mother instinct with
scientific knowledge.We imagine that even an old-fash-
ioned man like Mr. Reed would not
declaim to farmers against the meth-
ods they now follow with a brood sow,
either before or after the birth of her
pigs, or that he would advise them to
trust to the sow and her natural in-
stincts for rearing the pigs to matur-
ity. If he did, the farmer would
laugh him to scorn, for he has
learned by long experience that the
thriftiest pigs are those whose moth-
er has been properly safeguarded and
nourished before they farrowed and
whose natural nourishment, as it be-
came insufficient, has been reinforced
by a ration that was properly balanc-
ed and easily assimilated.Now the Maternity Law, against
which Mr. Reed so foolishly raves, isintended to give to the mothers and
prospective mothers out in the coun-
try as well as in the cities, informa-
tion that will mean just a smuch to
them and to their offspring as that
which is used so advantageously by
the farmer in connection with a brood
so woad its offspring.Under this law there is no intrusion
on the expectant mother and no med-
dling with her activities. As soon as
she lets the public health nurse or
other proper authority know that she
is pregnant she begins to receive in-
formation of the most scientific sort
and which can be turned to the most
practical advantage. She is instructed
in matters of diet, exercise, etc., for
every stage preceeding childbirth and
for the months succeeding that event.
Methods that have been vindicated by
millions of practical tests are describ-
ed. It is information any family phy-
sician is glad for a woman to have
and which he too often is unable to
supply, having never made a special
study of the subject.The Government, of course, does not
force this service on anybody. It is
eagerly sought by expectant mothers
and by those who recognize the awful
responsibilities incident to preserving
the little lives that have been linked
up with their own.To seek to prejudice women against
this service, because some of those
connected with it are unmarried, as
James A. Reed does, is just as un-
thinkable as to discredit a life-giving
medicine because the family physi-
cian who prescribes it has never made
any medicine himself. And while he
is seeking to prejudice farmers and
their wives against the Maternity
Law because some of its advocates are
childless women, he could, if he dared,
likewise prejudice them against bet-
ter methods for handling hens and
raising chickens, since the best au-
thorities on poultry culture are men
and women who have devoted their
lives to the study of chickens and
their diseases instead of to gathering
eggs and handling hens on the farm.Any mother, we believe, would ra-
ther consult what Senator Reed
sneeringly terms "An Old Maid", if
she has a profound knowledge of what
to do for the prospective mother and
babe before and after birth, than to
trust her own life and the life of her
child to her own instincts or those of
some old granny who believes in chew-
ing food for babies and dosing them
with roots, "yarbs" and simples which
have no medical properties at all.Senator Reed, we feel sure, would
not sneer at a childless physician who
had made a special study of maternity
problems. Why then should he sneer
at a childless woman who does so.
And since he himself has never been a
parent, why should he claim to be
such an authority on parent instinct?The Appeal believes that state-
ments the senator makes about the
Maternity Law advertise him as a
man who is out of sympathy with
modern discovery or one who is will-
ing to prejudice a community against
the best interests of its women and
babies in order to promote his own
selfish political ambitions.The fact that the women who died
in childbirth during the late war num-
bered more than the men we lost in
battle, and that something like 300,-
000 babies die every year in America,
was back of the demand for the Ma-
ternity Law. Thousands of these
lives, it is believed, could have been
saved. The awful mortality rate
among mothers and babes, it now
seems certain, can be materially re-
duced. The law was originated among
women and put through Congress by
the efforts of women over the opposi-
tion of just a few old-fashioned states-
men who always shout, "You can'tlearn me nothing". If only one moth-
er or one babe is saved the law will be
worth a million times its cost.—Paris
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people of Missouri and the farmers of
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ped.This loss is caused by producers not
knowing how to properly grade and
market their eggs. Commission men
find it very profitable to grade the
eggs they have purchased from farm-
ers.The State Marketing Bureau has
several expert egg graders in the
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grade their eggs so that the producer
may realize the very best market
price for that product.Any produce dealer can secure the
services of some of these expert grad-
ers by making application to Arthur
T. Nelson, of the State Marketing Bu-
reau. This service is free and meet-
ings will be held at places where in-
terest in the matter justifies. Every
produce dealer owes it to his trade to
secure these experts for demon-
strations and conferences and an early
application should be made as the ser-
vices of the men employed will be in
demand from all sections of the state.
If one of these meetings is held near
you, and you either sell or buy eggs,
it is certainly to your advantage to
attend the meeting.The Marketing Bulletin, published
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HIGH PRICES LEVELED AGAINST ALLIED TOURISTS IN GERMANY

Coblentz, June 12.—American British tourists are flocking to the large cities in the occupied areas of Germany in order to escape the high prices for living now leveled against Allied nationals in the interior of Germany.

Hundreds of visitors on their way to and from the Passion Play at Oberammergau making their headquarters during their stay in Germany in this city, and reports from Cologne occupied by the British and from Mayence and Wiesbaden, occupied by the French are to the same effect. In the occupied areas they are protected against profiteering by laws which prevent German tradesmen from discriminating against Allied nationals.

Prices in the occupation zones, however, have taken a jump of about 75 per cent since the mark went very low a few weeks ago and its gain within the past few days has had no effect on prices. All tourists returning from the interior are warning their friends not to place themselves at the mercy of the German profiteers who are charging visitors from 200 to 500 per cent more than they are charging German nationals.

13,375 BONUS CLAIMS PAID BY MISSOURI UP TO YESTERDAY

Jefferson City, July 7.—A total of 13,375 bonus claims had been paid by the State Bonus Commission up to yesterday at 5 p. m. and the highest number reached on any day of the week was slightly above 66,000, according to the records.

The total money paid out to date is \$6,365,320, which leaves an unexpended balance of \$8,710,790.

New claims are arriving constantly, the number registered last night having been 134,433.

Much of this week has been devoted by the bonus office to going back and paying claims which in the beginning had been held up because of some technical defect in the application. Next week higher numbers probably will be reached.

INCREASE IN GOOD PRICES IN 18 OF 22 CITIES IN MONTH

Washington, July 7.—A slight increase in the retail cost price of food products in 18 out of 22 representative cities of the country occurred from May 15 to June 15, according to a statement issued today by the Department of Labor.

Newark, New York and Pittsburgh noted an increase of 3 per cent; Bridgeport, Chicago, Cincinnati, Kansas City, Milwaukee and Rochester, 2 per cent; Baltimore, Dallas, Fall River, New Haven, Philadelphia, Richmond, and Scranton, 1 per cent; Portland (Me.), Washington (D. C.), Manchester (N. H.), Norfolk and Providence, less than five-tenths of 1 per cent.

For the period June 15, 1921, to June 15, 1922, 19 of the 22 cities showed a decrease.

338,426 Motor Vehicles in State Registered in Six Months

Jefferson City, July 7.—A total of 338,426 motor vehicles had been registered in Missouri up to July 1 this year, according to the Supervisor of Motor Vehicles of the Secretary of State's office.

Total collections from these registrations have been \$3,039,717 as against \$2,505,353 for the entire year 1921. The number of vehicles registered in 1921 was 347,383 or only about 9000 more than have been registered in the first six months of this year. Of the registrations, 65,125 cars and 13,300 trucks are in St. Louis.

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PERMANENT ROAD MAY MISS SIKESTON

The report is current that the State Highway Commission will designate the Red Star route, running from St. Louis to De Soto, through the lead belt to Farmington, then to Fredericktown, to Dexter and on to the Arkansas line as a primary highway, and will not so designate the old Kingshighway.

Where this information comes from no one seems to know but leading men in the towns mentioned are said to be sanguine that their route will be favored by the Commission. The Missourian has been told by responsible parties that members of the State Highway Commission have denied that such information is authentic.

It is reported that engineers for the State Highway Commission recently made a trip over the Red Star route and also over Kingshighway. It is claimed by some of those who are promoting the Red Star route that the engineers were impressed with the present condition of the Red Star route from St. Louis to Fredericktown and were disappointed at the condition of Kingshighway from St. Louis to Cape Girardeau.

They found the Red Star route in fine condition through Jefferson county it is reported, and Kingshighway in the same county was practically impassable. The Red Star route from De Soto to Fredericktown was also found in very good condition much above the average it is claimed, while Kingshighway from the Jefferson county line to the Cape county line was very rough and showed signs of long neglect.

The statement is made that there were evidences of progress in Ste. Genevieve county but none whatever upon the part of Perry county. Some state work is being done in Perry county but not a dollar had been spent on the road by the county itself according to the report. In one place a concrete culvert had been built and left without due attention. The culvert is now nearly impassable, it is claimed, and is in a dangerous condition. There are other very bad places in the road in Perry county and this condition had a bad effect on the engineers it is reported.

The report is that Kingshighway between the Perry county line and Jackson was found rough in several places but at three different points the county had crews of men at work. The highway from Jackson through Cape Girardeau to the Scott county line was found in first-class condition and was declared to be one of the best stretches of road in the state. There were signs of careful work on this stretch, it was reported.

For more than a year road boosters along the Red Star route have been busy making propaganda for their road and this work is having telling effects, it is claimed. Some of the boosters for Kingshighway claim that the reports are exaggerated and that in the end it will be found that Kingshighway will be designated a primary road.

Another report has it that the Red Star leaders are willing to compromise by having the primary highway lead from St. Louis to De Soto, to Farmington, to Fredericktown, then to Cape Girardeau via Patton and Oak Ridge. They say this scheme can be put thru by a united pull and that it should satisfy all parties concerned.

From Cape Girardeau this road according to the Red Star promoters, should lead through Dexter, then to Poplar Bluff, and then on to Arkansas. Sikeston could then connect with the highway at Dexter, which would connect the Poplar Bluff-Cairo road, they argue.

Another report is that the Red Star men favor having the highway run from Fredericktown to Patton to Oak Ridge, to Jackson, then south to Allen-ville and Dexter. They say that Cape could connect up at Jackson. This would be a big saving to the state, they claim.

This report probably comes from the effort made by a few men in Jackson and Cape Girardeau to have the state highway run south from Jackson instead of through Cape Girardeau. A committee of three or four men at Jackson went before the old State Highway Commission at Jefferson City and petitioned to have the state highway run south from Jackson thru Gordonville and Dutchtown. The Cape Girardeau Chamber of Commerce, when advised of this move sent a delegation to oppose it.

The Cape Girardeau men were astonished when they heard a Jackson politician argue that two very prominent Cape Girardeau men were at the head of the list of those who wanted the road run south from Jackson and not thru Cape Girardeau.

The Cape Girardeau delegation fought to have the road remain as it had for nearly a century as it served both Jackson and Cape Girardeau.

They opposed any move to show either Jackson or Cape Girardeau any favoritism. The Highway Commission refused to take the road away from Cape Girardeau, despite the fact that two very prominent Republican office holders of Cape Girardeau had petitioned to have it taken away.

The report that Cape Girardeau will be left off the primary highway probably comes from the effort made to have the state highway run south from Jackson and not through Cape Girardeau.

This information is of interest only in that it shows the efforts that are being made to get a primary highway. It is reported that Kingshighway boosters in Scott and other counties are busy but no activity is reported from Cape Girardeau or points north.

It has been announced that the State Highway Commission will meet in July to determine the primary highways. The law provides that 1500 miles of primary highway shall be built in Missouri. One of these highways, which will be of concrete, will run from St. Louis south to the Arkansas line. This primary highway will stand out on all highway maps as THE road to travel. Therefore every town wants to be on a primary highway and those that get on will reap a rich harvest for years to come from tourists and through the benefits of easy overland travel.—Cape Missourian.

Plums, Plums, Plums. All you want at 20c per gal.—Ruck Edmondson, one mile north of Salcedo.

It has been often said that a hog could not be poisoned. But Fred Keener, of Portageville happens to know differently. Mr. Keener had two hogs that bid fair to make 600 pounds of net pork by "killing time", and he also had some sour sorghum molasses, which had been in tin pails for several months. Mr. Keener decided to feed the sour molasses to his hogs, which he did, and both died from ptomaine poisoning. Mr. Keener's experience cost him something like \$50.00.—Parma Press.

Impartial history will record Geo. Washington, Abraham Lincoln and Woodrow Wilson as the outstanding figures in American affairs. All three of them were commanders-in-chief of forces which triumphed on land and sea. All three of them revolutionized the thinking of the world and lifted it by their Christian ideals to higher planes of living. All three of them were models to whom any parent could point his child because their influence was along lines which made for a noble destiny. All three of them were harassed, persecuted and misrepresented by relentless political foes, and all of them piloted the old ship of state safely into port against the opposition of organized greed and the venom of interests that were out of sympathy with their Government when its very life was at stake. Washington and Lincoln have been vindicated long since but Missouri Democrats are now confronted with the problem of vindicating or depudating Wilson and his mighty achievements. And the only argument thus far submitted to Missouri farmers against him is that under his administration Congress made it a felony for anybody to pay them less than \$2 a bushel for wheat. Great God!—Paris Appeal.



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Warner died as he had lived—a true friend to man. He died that his family might be happy.

Growing old, despondent, and his earning power rapidly declining, Warner weighed the assets and liabilities of life and death, carefully and calmly. He was a business man, and faced his problems in a businesslike manner. If he lived, there was his wife and four children—but there was a living to make, a name to sustain, and a honor to live up to. His chief assets, health, mind and will power, were going.

On the other hand, there was death for him; but, for the loved ones around him he would be providing a reasonably large sum of money, sufficient to provide for their needs for years to come. His life was insured for \$27,000. He had explained that if he left this world that amount of money would be made available for his family's needs; if he continued the battle he might lose in the struggle and at the same time forfeit the insurance policy through inability to meet the payments.

Warner had figured out these things. He had talked about it to his wife and to close friends. They were horrified and did the best they could to dissuade him. He had let them believe that he had not reached a decision to destroy himself but on a number of occasions he brought up the subject as he would have mentioned a purely business matter.

Warner had great faith in the Almighty. He was a regular attendant at Sunday School, an honored member of the Methodist church, and a religious teacher of his children. But all these failed to shake his resolve. He died for his family—for their peace and happiness, he believed.

Held in high esteem in his community, his funeral Friday afternoon was attended by the greatest number of people that has attended service here. Rev. E. H. Orear, of Centenary Methodist Church, Cape Girardeau, paid high tribute to the loyalty, faith and sacrifice of the man. Hundreds of others passed by his bier and shed a tear for the man who was "a friend to man". His strong convictions only made him friends, and the entire section was represented at the funeral services.

The widow, Mrs. Mary Warner and four children, Donald, Mabel, Russell and Mary, today mourn his passing. Hundred of others are sad.

Warner came to Scott County from Ohio in 1901, locating at Commerce. He was married first to Miss Alice Harper, who died a number of years ago, and then he later married Miss Mary Davis, of Dayton, Ohio, a childhood sweetheart. He served for sev-

eral terms as county surveyor, later entering into partnership with Otto Kochitzky of Cape Girardeau. This partnership was dissolved a year ago. He was a Mason in good standing, a school director, and trustee in his church.—Cape Missourian.

Card of Thanks

Words cannot express our appreciation of the kindness shown us during our recent bereavement. We wish to thank the many friends for their services, and floral offerings.
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NEIGHBORHOOD NEWS FROM MATTHEWS

Mrs. Nannie Lee is very ill at this writing.

G. D. Steele went to Catron Friday on business.

Mrs. Louis Hunott was a Sikeston visitor Thursday.

S. S. Surface went to Charleston Saturday on business.

Luther Vaughn has just recovered from a severe attack of malarial fever.

Russell Stone of Sikeston was a Matthews visitor Saturday and Sunday.

Alfred Deane and G. D. Steele motored to Sikeston Saturday on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Dolen York of Big Opening were Matthews visitors Saturday.

Sheriff Ambrose Kerr, of New Madrid, was in Matthews Saturday, on business.

Mr. and Mrs. James Cormody and baby motored to Sikeston Saturday on business.

Mrs. John Rauh and two little sons are visiting relatives in Paducah, Ky., this week.

Mrs. W. A. Snigleton, who is attending school at Cape Girardeau, spent the week-end at home.

Mr. and Mrs. Francis Steele and little daughter of New Madrid were guests of Mrs. Mary Steele, Sunday.

Miss Flossie Reed returned Sunday from Farrenburg, where she has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Alville Fulkerson.

Mr. and Mrs. James Midgett and

Mrs. W. O. Vinson of Kewanee were guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Deane Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Batt and children of La Forge spent Saturday and Sunday with Mrs. Ball's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Hale.

Mr. and Mrs. Amos Buchanan little son Bryan of Sikeston spent Sunday with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hill.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Caldwell and baby, of Sikeston, visited the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Brooks, Saturday and Sunday.

Misses Marie and Mary Deane returned Sunday from Cape Girardeau, where they have been the past few days, visiting relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Randolph and little son of Pharris Ridge were guests of the latter's mother, Mrs. Nannie Lee, Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. Dora Waters and daughter, Miss Dorothy, niece, Miss Glenda Waters, left Saturday for an extended visit with relatives in Southern Illinois.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Burch and children returned to their home in Chicago, Thursday, after a week's visit with Mrs. Burch's mother, Mrs. Tenney Burch.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. King and family, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Story and children, Mr. and Mrs. Leon Swartz and family, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Stewart and son, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Deane and little daughter, Mesdames W. O. Carroll, Emma Andrews and Miss Beatrice Andrews enjoyed a fish fry on Little River, Sunday.

Coroner D. A. Chiles was notified by telephone Saturday to bring Contable Deane immediately and come to Pharris Ridge, a man had been murdered. Coroner Chiles and W. H. Deane, Prosecuting Attorney Massengill of New Madrid went to the place and found a man by the name of Sharp dead. He had been shot by one Archer, with a double barrel shotgun in front of Archer's house. It seems as if the killing grew out of an old grudge and on Saturday morning about 5 o'clock, Sharp, an aged man, started to hunt his cow. He had to pass Archer's house. After he had gone by, Archer sent to a neighbor's, borrowed his shot gun, saying he was going squirrel hunting. As Mr. Sharp came back, Archer emptied the contents of the gun in the victim's face and upper part of the body. Such was the verdict given by the witnesses at the inquest. The verdict of the coroner jury was murder in the first degree. Archer went to New Madrid and gave himself up to the sheriff and was put in jail to await his preliminary trial to be held Tuesday, July 11th. Archer has a wife and six children. The aged man Sharp, lived alone with his aged wife.

Even-Handed Justice.

A brawny blacksmith was appointed justice of the peace. The first case he heard was one arising out of the death of a cow under the wheels of a train. Plaintiff's counsel enumerated the many virtues of the late cow; described her gentleness; he told of the great bereavement to the immediate family, consisting of a young calf, and dwelt upon the heartlessness of a system which by its brutal carelessness had made stew-meat of the parent and an orphan of the offspring.

As he sat down, the new justice said, with a voice husky with emotion: "I've heard enough! Plaintiff wins!" and proceeded to enter judgment for the full amount of damages.

But the lawyer for the other side protested. He was silver-tongued, with automatic tear valves and a friction-proof jaw. Among other matters pertinent to the issue, he introduced the Union Jack, Magna Charta, and "Little G. C. Bone in the West", concluding the whole by bursting into a violent fit of weeping.

As he sank into his seat the justice wiped his streaming eyes, and in a voice quivering with sobs, exclaimed: "Well, that beats all! Defense wins!" London Tit-Bits.

Father John L. Sullivan and Ben Welter are in St. Louis, having gone up Monday morning.

Geo. W. Pearman, County Clerk and candidate for re-election, was in Sikeston Monday and called on The Standard force.

Your Republican friend is thinking about Senator Spencer. That's the reason he looks that way. He's thinking of the foolish and harmful things the senator persists in doing and of how he has become the laughing stock of both parties at Washington since he assumed the role of champion for Newberry and Goldstein and undertook to keep Jesse Barrett from running for the senatorial nomination by a subterfuge that would have put a 10-year-old boy to shame. From a Democratic standpoint Spencer is a past master in the art of doing the wrong thing at the right time.—Paris Appeal.



HON. CHAS. M. HAY

who will address the people of Sikeston and vicinity at Malone Park Saturday evening at 8 o'clock.

Mr. Reed in Wisconsin

Senator Reed says he has been unfairly treated by the Post-Dispatch regarding the part he took in the Wisconsin campaign in 1920. The question was raised by a statement of Mr. Reed's opponent, Mr. Long, that "I never went to Wisconsin and campaigned for a Republican for United States Senator". In reply Mr. Reed declared that "Any man who said I campaigned for a Republican in Wisconsin is a liar." He explained that he went to Wisconsin to try to defeat the Republican Senator, Mr. Lenroot, who was seeking re-election, and further said that he had been entertained by the Democratic committees where he spoke.

The issue of veracity between the two candidates in the Democratic senatorial primary seemed to the Post-Dispatch a matter of genuine public interest. Was Mr. Long right or was Mr. Reed right? What were the facts? The place to get the facts, obviously, was Wisconsin, and, accordingly, a member of the staff was sent there. He got the facts from a man who should be familiar with them, namely, the chairman of the Democratic State Central Committee of Wisconsin, John P. Hume.

Mr. Hume's statement has been printed in the Post-Dispatch. Summarized it is this: There were three candidates for the United States Senate in Wisconsin, two Republicans and one Democrat. Lenroot was the regular Republican nominee and Jas. Thompson was the independent Republican, who had the support of the La Follette machine. The Democratic candidate was Paul S. Reinsch, a man of distinction, a former member of the faculty of Wisconsin University, who had served as Minister to China under President Wilson, a student of international affairs.

The issue was the League of Nations, Lenroot, the regular Republican, was for the League, with reservations. Thompson, the La Follette Republican, whose election Reed advocated, was opposed to the League unqualifiedly. Reinsch, the Democrat, was for the League. Senator Reed's campaign in Wisconsin was against the Democratic party's policy and platform, for which Reinsch stood.

Mr. Reed never spoke a word for the Democratic candidate, Chairman Hume says, nor was he entertained by Democratic committees as such. He came to Wisconsin to help elect the La Follette candidate, was exploited by the La Follette press, and was entertained by La Follette and La Follette followers.

That is what the chairman of the Democratic State Central Committee of Wisconsin says. It is official. The Post-Dispatch believes it is true.

Mr. Reed is not accused, on this score, by the Post-Dispatch or by our political writer. Mr. Reed is accused by the Democratic organization of Wisconsin and convicted by the facts.—Post-Dispatch.

Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Matthews, Jr., are in Jefferson City for a few days. Mr. Matthews will attend a meeting of the State Highway Commission while there.

Tablets of Stone Were Small

Chicago.—Popular pictures of Moses and his "two tablets of stone" bearing the ten commandments, usually represent him as bringing down from the mount two great stone slabs two or three feet long and about two feet broad, which, according to George L. Robinson, professor at McCormick Theological Seminary here, is absurd. The tablets were very much smaller, Dr. Robinson believes.

"I brought back with me from Mount Sinai in 1914 two blocks of red granite," Dr. Robinson said, "which I have carved and cut and inscribed with the ten commandments in the ancient Hebrew character, and so made into 'tablets' of stone such as Moses, the great lawgiver, brought down from the Mount."

"They are 5x3½x¾ inches in size, exactly the size of corresponding tablets of Moses' time, the Tell el-Amarna tablets found at Tell el-Amarna in Egypt in 1887."

Dr. Robinson said the showing of these tablets had always caused great comment, because of their size. Dr. Robinson, who has gained wide reputation as "an interpreter of ancient civilization" has spent several vacation years in the Near East, exploring and excavating in his search for original sources. He recently made three addresses before the State conference of the Presbyterian church at Decatur in which he detailed some of his discoveries and experiences in travels through Palestine.

In one of his addresses he spoke on the topic "Why Moses Wore a Veil", offering an original interpretation. "Moses came down from the mountain after (40 days with God) and his face 'shone', literally 'horned,'" he said, "and so when St. Jerome translated the Hebrew of Exodus, chapter 34: 29-35, he translated it literally into the Latin of the Roman Catholic Vulgate, 'cornutam Moysis faciem'—Moses' face horned."

"Accordingly, when Michael Angelo carved a huge statue of Moses, he being a reader of St. Jerome's Vulgate, carved horns, literal horns, on Moses' brow."

"But, after delivering his message to the children of Israel, Moses put a veil on his face, not because the glory of his countenance dazzled Israel's eyes, nor to teach modesty and humility nor to obscure the things that ought to be made plain; not even to conceal his vanishing glory; but to teach that there is but one source of prophecy—God, and especially to screen himself from contamination with the world."

"To gaze upon the sin and wickedness and uncleanness of the world leaves its mark on one, even as fellowship with God leaves a halo. Christians, therefore, should screen themselves from evil, by which I mean they should not gaze upon sin and lust, etc., with approval. I do not mean the Christians should shut their eyes to sin; or isolate themselves from the world, but that they should not gaze with pleasure upon the wickedness of the world, but rather try to correct it. For one bears in his countenance his best credentials."

"An Arab proverb is 'walk with the lame and you'll become lame yourself'."

self'. A Hebrew proverb is 'keep near the seller of perfumes if you wish to become fragrant'."

To Explore the Sahara.

Under Rothschild auspices, a zoological expedition, composed of one Englishman and one Scotchman, is forcing its way deep into the heart of the Sahara Desert, a region which is practically unmapped zoologically.

At its head is Capt. Angus Buchanan, a zoological explorer of great skill and experience. The expedition has been sent to find and collect birds, animals and plants wherever it is able to penetrate, to look for any traces of Roman or other classical civilization in the Central Sahara, had to secure camera and motion picture records of the habits, customs and general mode of life of the inhabitants of the country.

The expedition, with its camel caravan, is now heading for the desert north of the Nigeria. Communications are necessarily very irregular, for there are only five main roads across the desert, some of which have never yet been traveled by Europeans. Once Capt. Buchanan leaves the French post of Agades, there may be no news from him for months.—Living Age.

Crown Prince on Horseshoes

"Whenever the spirit moves me," says the former German crown prince in an interview with The Times of London, "I go to the shop of my farrier friend, Luijt, and make a few horseshoes". Truly the heir of the Hohenzollerns could not have chosen a more romantic pastime for his secluded existence at Wieringen. Was it not the valiant Siegfried who spent his youthful days at the anvil of Mimi until he repaired the sword "Nothung", and with it destroyed the dragon and so released the all-powerful, all-mischief-making Rhinegold? Of course the Siegfriedian heroics ended on the fourth day of the epic in a somewhat dreary twilight, as anyone with visions of making romance repeat itself should remember. All well-wishers of the former crown prince will hope that his forging ambitions will not soar too high.—Christian Science Monitor.

Miss Francoise Black entertained with a twelve o'clock dinner Sunday. Covers were laid for Miss Addie Dover, Miss Lottie Dover, Miss Mary Blanton, Miss Catherine Blanton, Miss Leona Gallivan of New Madrid, Miss Francoise Black and Miss Hilma Black.

Indians from Montana, California and British Columbia will join the Yakima Indians during a big fish carnival held at Prosser, Wash., to celebrate the victory of the Yakimas over the State of Washington, which for years has been trying to exclude the Indians from spearing salmon at the falls as fish are on their way up the river to spawn. The Indians, defeated in State courts, went to the Supreme Court of the United States, and won their case. Salmon caught in this manner are dried and smoked for winter food.

LILBOURN MAN FOILS YEGGS IN TOWN BANK

Lilbourn, Mo., July 8.—After smashing the glass in a rear window to gain entrance to the Bank of Lilbourn here early today, two yeggs were frightened away when Charles Shelby, living over the bank, was awakened by the noise, and started to make an investigation.

Only 40 cents in change left on a table in the office, was taken.

No attempts had been made to blow the safe.

Tracks in the mud outside the window where entrance was affected indicated that there were two men. Shelby said that he did not see them. He was awakened by the crash of falling glass at 3 a. m. and started down the stairs to make an investigation, he says.

Bloodhounds were called from Cape Girardeau and placed on the trail at noon today.

C. L. Stevenson is president of the bank, and J. E. McCord, cashier.

Mrs. Freeman Le Sieur and daughter Camille, arrived Monday for a visit with her son, F. N. Le Sieur.

Mrs. J. L. Tanner and Mrs. C. C. White attended the meeting of the Democratic women, held in Benton Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Dover motored to St. Louis Sunday morning. Mr. Dover returned Monday and Mrs. Dover will remain a while. Mrs. Laura Slack will be at home with Mrs. Dover's little family, while she is away.

Miss Ruth Baker, who has been on an extended visit in Charleston and Sikeston, returned to her home in Memphis, Tenn., Monday morning. Her brother, Wollard Baker, who has been visiting here also, returned with her.

Waters of the River Jordan in Palestine are to be developed into power to turn the wheels of new industry. The British government has granted a concession to run for seventy years for the utilization of the river. The energy obtained will be used to light houses and streets, pump water, railway and other power purposes.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Williams and Mr. and Mrs. Roland Williams of Lansing, Mich., are visiting their mother, Mrs. Ella Williams at the Harry Dover home. They arrived in Sikeston Saturday, the trip being made by automobile. They will leave Tuesday for St. Louis to visit with their sister, Mrs. Harry Dover, who is visiting there.

A temperature of more than 50,000 degrees, 20,000 degrees hotter than the hottest stars, was obtained in a recent experiment at the University of Chicago by discharging a large quantity of electricity from a condenser through a very fine wire. The metal tungsten was actually changed to helium by means of this enormous heat.

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NEW MADRID COUNTY REAL ESTATE SALES

Dr. C. W. McGee and wife, Zora Gunterman, of New Madrid County: Lot 14 in block 52 of the City of Morehouse, New Madrid County, Mo. \$850.

J. P. Berry and A. M. Foster, deacons of the Tallapoosa Assembly of God. Lots 1 and 2 block 9 of Himelbeger-Harrison Lumber Co.'s 1st addition to Tallapoosa, Mo. \$1.00 and exchange of property.

Bessie A. Hamilton and O. O. Hamilton, her husband to T. N. Hubbard, all of New Madrid County: A parcel of ground in the city of New Madrid, fronting on Emerson street and adjoining property now owned by A. T. Henry. \$800.

Celia A. Keith, a widow, to Isaac and Dora Henley all of New Madrid County: All of lot 6 in block 12 in the city of Parma. \$100.

J. D. Parks and wife of Little Rock, Ark. and Howard Parks and wife of Dallas, Texas, to Everett Stepp. All of a certain piece of real estate with all improvements thereon and located on the North Side of Mott street beginning at a point 80 feet west of line street, thence running west 7 feet more or less, to an alley, in Jno. E. Powell's 2nd addition to the city of New Madrid. In block 12. The intention being to convey all of said lots less 80 feet off of the east end. \$900.

Lee Hunter and wife of city of St. Louis to Rueben Trotter of New Madrid: S½ of lot 9 in block 8 in Jno. Powell's 4th add. to City of New Madrid. \$235.90.

Marriage License

Roy Robbs and Maude Eby, both of Farrenburg.

Wil McGill and Etta Murrill, both of Gideon.

Ned Bledsoe and Della McLaughlin, both of Matthews.

Edward A. Wenz, of Dedham, Mass.

and Mabel Irene Bailey, of Malden.

SPEAKER O'FALLON DIES SUDDENLY

Oregon, Mo., July 10.—Samuel F. O'Fallon, speaker of the Missouri House of Representatives and a candidate for the Republican nomination for justice of the supreme court in Division No. 2, fell dead of heart disease at his home here Saturday night.

Mr. O'Fallon, who had served as speaker during the last two regular sessions of the legislature and the special sessions since 1919, was 65 years old, a leading lawyer of the northwestern part of the state, and representative from Holt County. He had served as prosecuting attorney and probate judge, was president of two banks, and the owner of a large stock farm. He is survived by his wife, but no children.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Van-Horne motored to Benton Saturday afternoon. Japan's 60,000,000 population consumes 300,000,000 bushels of rice a year.

A silk floss or silk cotton, known as kapok, is obtained from the fruit of a tree found in the Dutch East Indies, Ecuador, Brazil and India. The yellow silky mass is taken from the pods and dried on cement floors.

Announcement

An announcement I am pleased to make, and one I feel sure will be acceptable to the automobile public:

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PRIMARY ELECTION JUDGES APPOINTED

List of Judges appointed for Primary Election, August 1st, 1922. The first three, are Republicans, the other three, Democrats:

Commerce Precinct, Commerce Mo. — R. B. Heuchan, Henry Miller, E. F. Hutson, Wade Anderson, Mrs. T. F. Fraser, Wm. Simmons.

Diehlstadt Precinct, Diehlstadt—John Nichols, J. F. Bagwell, Jr., J. R. Kirkpatrick, Will Michael, Ben Berns, Steve Ohmes.

Lusk Precinct, Charleston, R. F. D. — P. M. Britt, Tom Scott, Lawrence Probst, Joe Stricker, Mrs. Joe Stricker, C. E. Hurley.

Blodgett Precinct, Blodgett—Wm. F. Bradley, John Austin, Henry Sahmley, Dell Swinney, W. A. Scarbraugh, J. S. Peal.

Sikeston, 1st Ward, Sikeston—Earl J. Malone, M. A. Arterburn, Ernest Arterburn, Audrey Chaney, Chas. L. Blanton, Jr., H. C. Young.

Sikeston, 2nd Ward, Sikeston—A. F. Lindsay, W. O. Scott, A. B. Dill, T. A. Wilson, W. H. Sikes, Pauline Cook. McMullin Precincts, McMullin—W. J. Kindred, Jake B. Smith, George Clifford, Leonard McMullin, William Simpson, Ed Bean.

Rootwad Precinct, Sikeston—Oscar Collins, J. S. Hodges, N. L. Randolph, Sayers Tanner, P. A. Stone, Ben Hahn.

Miner Precinct, Sikeston—W. J. Milem, Roland Malcolm, D. D. Warren, John Powell, James Hinkle, Jno. Reiss.

Crowder Precinct, Crowder—Arnie Utley, Lem Hamby, Walter Smith, W. J. Page, Walker Taylor, Wm. Pratt.

Kelson Precinct, Kelson—L. J. Dannenmueller, Louis Dohogne, Matt Thomas, E. L. Walter, Lawrence Heuring, Andy Pfefferkorn.

Fornfelt Precinct, Fornfelt—G. E. berg, F. M. Gardner, C. E. Young, Collins, S. A. Barton, H. L. Blumenhouse, Pete Calliott.

Illmo Precinct, Illmo—Mrs. George Weir, Maurice Craig, C. W. Russler, T. L. Huggins, Mrs. O. Keeling, R. D. Rice.

Chaffee Precinct, Chaffee—Mrs. Leah Abernathy, Mrs. H. L. Steifel, P. N. Keller, Chas. Scheen, H. H. Washburn, Mrs. Bruce Halbert.

Ansell Precinct, Ansell—Andy Blattel, J. G. Thomas, Charles Blattel, Wm. Welter, Barney Heuring, Mrs. Pharr.

Benton Precinct, Benton—Wm. J. Kraft, M. G. Tirmenstein, Andy Robert, L. Schott, A. L. Daniels, Jas. McPheeters.

New Hamburg Precinct, New Hamburg—John Stike, John Schlitt, Sol Diebold, Joe Dirmberger, Mathilda Schoen, John Birnberger, Jr.

Morley Precinct, Morley—A. A. Evans, J. N. Shores, L. R. Graves, Hal Boyce, C. D. M. Gupton, E. Daugherty.

Oran Precinct, Oran—Ben Lions, Frank Tenkhoff, John P. McCarty, Leo LeGrand, Clarence Sanders, Lloyd Poe.

Vanduser Precinct, Vanduser—Fred E. Black, D. A. Potter, Joe Miller, W. A. Smith, Ammon Batts, L. O. Williams.

Bleda Precinct, Oran—Phillip Heuring, Gus Behnhardt, G. C. Newell, Joe Bechel, John Dohogne, Jeff Slinkard, Perkins Precinct, Perkins—W. G. Irwin, Weely Miller, J. P. Nichols, A. B. Ware, Wm. Smith, W. E. Kinder.

Petit Jurors for August Term: Commerce—Joe Ledure, C. M. Wyllie.

Kelson—Charles Heisserer, Geo. J. Thomas, H. G. Townsend, Andy Pfefferkorn, Harry Steifel.

Richland—Wade Sitzes, Elmer Matthews, A. W. Wylie, John Witt, A. A. Harrison, Murray Tanner.

Sandywoods—Jeff Hubbard, John Payton.

Morley—Luther Gobson, J. M. Chostner, Tom Sittin.

Moreland—Carter Foster, William Spalding.

Sylvania—Harry C. Watkins, Walter Dillingham, Tom Patterson.

Tywapppity—J. F. Bagwell, Jr.

STATE OF MO. NOT A STRIKE BREAKER

Sedalia, Mo., July 8.—"The State of Missouri is not a strike breaker" declared Gov. Arthur M. Hyde in a telegram received tonight by striking shopmen of the Missouri Pacific Railway, in reply to one the strikers had sent to the governor appreciating "the air and impartial position you have taken by refraining from calling upon the state troops in connection with the rail strike". In their telegram to the governor the striking shopmen assured him that they would do everything in their power to prevent violence or destruction of property and would stand behind the constituted authority at any time. The governor's reply assured the strikers that if their stand was made good there would be no necessity to call out the Missouri National Guard in connection with the strike.

PETITIONS FILED FOR STATE REDISTRICTING

Jefferson City, Mo., July 6.—Initiative petitions for state senatorial redistricting were filed with Secretary of State Becker late today by Dr. E. B. Clements, chairman of the Republican State Committee.

Secretary Becker received and accepted the petitions and will not formally accept them for filing until the formality of checking them up as to sufficiency and compliance with requirements of the law has been gone through with. There are about 60,000 signatures.

Chairman Clements said there is no doubt as to the sufficiency of the petitions. They are from the First, Second, Third, Fourth, Fifth, Sixth, Seventh, Eighth, Ninth, Thirteenth, Fourteenth, Fifteenth and Sixteenth Congressional districts.

All of the petitions were checked up before filing. Dr. Clements said, with the exception of those from the Seventh District, and there is no doubt as to their sufficiency.

The senatorial districts sought to be established by vote of the people next November are those laid out in April, 1921, by Gov. Hyde, Attorney General Baret and Secretary of State Becker, and which were ruled out by the Supreme Court on the ground that the state officers named were without authority to do the redistricting.

Under the districts as thus arranged, should the initiative prevail at the election, Kansas City will have four instead of two State Senators, while the City of St. Louis will have her representation in the Senate increased from six to eight Senators.

NEGROES REFUSE TO ACT AS STRIKE BREAKERS

Springfield, Mo., July 8.—Officials, who accompanied Chief of Police Welch to the Frisco shops here last night when several negroes were escorted from the property, said today they were notified by strikers that negroes were held against their own free will and that they want to investigate. Welch asked the negroes if they wished to continue to work and a number replied that they did not. They were then taken off the Frisco property. The negroes are now being fed by the strikers.

T. A. Wilson and sister, Miss Irma, are in Jefferson City on a business trip.

Word was received in this city Thursday, that Wm. Ellis, formerly sheriff of Scott County and now a special agent for the terminal railroad in St. Louis had been shot in the arm. The wound is not considered dangerous. No particulars were obtainable when the Jim went to press.—Illmo Implicate.

Teh Sikeston ball team journeyed down to Canolou Sunday for a game of ball. It was intended to be a practice game, but turned out to be a regular game. Bill Malone pitched for Sikeston and must have done a good job from the way the score was held down, but the other fellows had some team, too, from the score of 1 to 0 in favor of Canolou. This was a shock to Sikeston, but the boys say if Canolou can hold out this way they can draw a good crowd when they play a return game at Sikeston.

Morley—Frank Keen, L. O. Williams, Louis Watkins.

Moreland—Ben Huber, Tom Dickerson.

Sylvania—F. J. Amrhein, Frank Meir, Wm. Pobst.

Tywapppity—Joe Stricker.



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TRAIN SERVICE ON MO. PA. CURTAILED

Beginning Tuesday morning, July 11, passenger trains 431 and 432 on the Missouri Pacific between Poplar Bluff and Cairo will be discontinued indefinitely. One round trip per day between Bird's Point and Poplar Bluff will be made, going east at the usual time in the morning and returning in the evening. Shortage of coal is given as the reason though it is suspected that the striking shop mechanism has more to do with it.

The Brownie Organization

Sir Robert Baden-Powell, the founder of the Boy and Girl Scouts movement, (or Girl Guides as they are called in England), is also the instigator of the Brownie organization for younger girls. Although comparatively new in this country the Brownies are increasing daily in the United States, as there is need for work of this kind among little girls too young to become Girl Scouts, and England has thousands of little Brownies scattered throughout her United Kingdom.

Any girl can become a Brownie who is over 6 and under 11 and does her best to carry out the promise of the Brownies.

The object of the Brownie organization is to provide recreational training for small girls such as can be employed outside the school walls for inculcating the four necessary, but sometimes neglected ingredients in education:

- 1—Character and intelligence.
- 2—Interpretive play and patriotism.
- 3—Service for others and fellowship.
- 4—Physical health and hygiene.

Sir Baden-Powell does not advise introducing the Girl Scout training directly into that of the Brownies. It is not adapted to their psychology and would tend to rob the Brownie of her ambition to be ultimately promoted to the higher grade of Girl Scout. His method is to meet and encourage the child's desire for active achievement through play and self-expression instead of forcing her submissive acceptance of imposed instruction.

The Brownie Headquarters are at 189 Lexington Ave., New York City, as are the Girl Scouts', with Mrs. Warren G. Harding, Honorary President, and Mrs. Woodrow Wilson, Honorary Vice-President.

All leather guaranteed shoes, \$2.00 and \$2.50.—Pinnell Store Co.

Miss Leona Gallivan of New Madrid was the guest of Sikeston friends over Sunday.

Miss Leona Gallivan of New Madrid was the guest of Miss Addie Dover from Thursday until Sunday evening.

California growers let 8,000,000 cantaloupes rot rather than let them go to market at a price within the means of consumers. They ought to know that overstocked markets are due to high prices, and not to any lack of consuming appetite.—George Bailey, Houston Post.

Mr. and Mrs. Ralph Anderson very delightfully entertained with a lawn party on the lawn at their home on Tanner Street, Thursday evening from 7:30 to 9:30, complimentary to her house guests, Mr. and Mrs. W. R. Huckaby, of Jacksonville, Ill. and Dr. and Mrs. Ewert, of Chicago, Ill. Many of the old friends and neighbors took advantage of this opportunity to greet Mr. and Mrs. Huckaby and daughter, who had lived here several years ago.

FARMER KILLS MAN AND THEN SURRENDERS

New Madrid, Mo., July 9.—Walter Archie, 40 years old, a farmer, was being held in jail here tonight without bond, following the shooting to death yesterday of James Sharp, 55, landowner of this vicinity. After the shooting, Archie surrendered to the authorities saying he killed Sharp with a shotgun at Archie's home, according to Sheriff Kerr, who declared the trouble resulted from a long dispute about personal matters between the men.

The coroner ordered Archie held for murder.

Canolou Man Severely Cut

As the result of an argument over family trouble Monday evening, Chas. Cathey of Canolou, aged 25; was badly cut by Eddie Glenn, aged 38, also of that place. Cathey received a cut on the biceps of his right arm, one at the pit of the stomach, and a 10-inch gash across his back. Both men were working on the Chas. Biser farm near Canolou.

Sheriff Ambrose Kerr spent all Tuesday morning on the Biser farm searching for Glenn, who had made his escape. It is thought that Glenn is on his way to Kentucky.

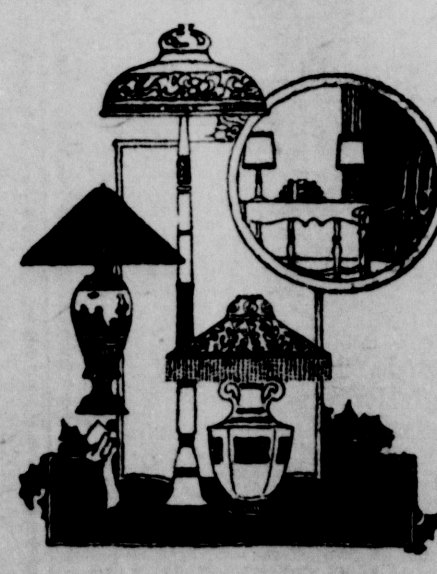
While Cathey's wounds are severe and painful, it is thought that he will recover from them in good shape. He has a wife and small son.—Portageville Missourian.

Wade Tucker and Kid Beach put on a wrestling match at Matthews Thursday night, July 13, at 8:30. Tucker is wrestler of note and Kid Beach has a name in Cape Girardeau, his home, as being an artist in this line. Sikeston sports will not miss this event.

The Standard is not sufficiently posted on the railroad strike situation to make any comments, but will say that railroad labor voted almost solidly for Harding and a change and are getting it. It was a Harding railroad board that say the men were getting too much money and ordered a cut in wages. It is now a fight between the men and the Government. At Sikeston the pay of certain employees that were getting only \$67.50 per month were cut 4c an hour or about 36c per day. They were not getting enough money to start with and a cut to this class of labor is starvation wages.

LOOK

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SIKESTON COMPANY CALLED TO COLORS

By direction of Governor Hyde, Adjutant General Raup has called the Sikeston National Guard to hold themselves in readiness to proceed to any part of the State of Missouri, where their services might be necessary owing to certain elements being in a "state of insurrection". The strike situation where certain employees have left the shops and will not permit others to work in them, is the real cause.

Forty-two men and six officers answered to the roll call and the boys are now in camp at the Fair Grounds.

Major Lyle Malone is the ranking officer with Capt. Harry Dudley, first lieutenant E. E. Arterburn and Franklin Smith and second lieutenants Tanner Dye and Rufus Reid in line.

Six hours of training each day is the program in order to have them in conditions for the hardest kind of field service. Here's hoping the call will not have to come, but if it does, that our boys will do their duty.

PRESIDENT HARDING SELECTED AS "GOAT"

Washington, July 7.—Here are the conclusions reached at the "salvation dinner" at Senator Lodge's house, Wednesday night, the story of which was told in the Post-Dispatch yesterday: The list represents the solemn judgment of the Republican "Council of Despair" as to the measures to be taken to avoid defeat of the party at the coming election:

1. Pass the soldier bonus bill back to the President. If he will not agree with the Senators on some form of a bill that can be passed he is to be asked to assume the whole responsibility of deferring the bonus until the short session of Congress.

2. Press the matter of cloture on the tariff bill, so that when it is defeated the candidates can point out to the people that Democratic votes prevented a speedy passage.

3. Abandon all idea of cloture by a majority vote, as it would bring on a filibuster that would prevent any legislation.

4. Seek a gentleman's agreement with the Democrats under which the minor tariff schedules should go thru with limited debate, while consideration of the duties on wool, sugar, etc., would have no restriction.

5. Get the President to agree to the postponement of the ship subsidy again until the December session.

It was agreed that the emergency demands that sacrifices be made right and left in order to effect the final adjournment of Congress on approximately August 25. It was agreed that the exigencies of campaigning made this necessary. It was held that every day Congress remained in session after August 25 would imperil Republican success. This, it was agreed, would chiefly arise from holding the elections too closely on the heels of an untied tariff.

As to the bonus, it was held futile for Congress to pass a measure and have it vetoed by the President. In view of his various statements on the subject it was determined to take the topic up with him and go over the whole list of methods by which funds may be raised to meet payments. If an agreement cannot be arranged, the President will be invited to become responsible for deferment until next winter.

The effort to induce the President definitely to forego ship subsidy legislation until next winter has a subtle side. The opinion was almost unanimous among the Senators that this problem will solve itself. It was the almost unanimous view that when members of the House return, August 15, they will firmly inform the President that they will have enough things to explain at home without taking up the ship subsidy. Senators believed the House will take care of this matter.

A general disposition was manifested by Republican Senators to agree with the conclusions of their associates at the Lodge dinner regarding soldiers' compensation legislation.

Mr. and Mrs. Luther Spradling of Jackson motored to this city Sunday and visited Mrs. Spradling's parents, Mr. and Mrs. John Moll.

Miss Lillian Bergman, who has been on an extended visit in the west, visited her sister, Mrs. Ned Matthews and family in Sikeston, last week. Miss Bergman will visit in Cape Girardeau before returning to the west.

KLU KLUX KLAN LECTURE SUNDAY

Dr. Roy E. Davis, high Klan official, spoke at the Malone Theatre to a full house, explaining the principles of the Knights of the Ku Klux Klan. The principles are as follows:

The Tenets of the Christian Religion.

White Supremacy.

Closer relationship between Capital and American Labor.

Protection of pure womanhood.

Preventing the causes of mob violence and lynchings.

Preventing unwarranted strikes by foreign labor agitators.

Prevention of fires and destruction of property by lawless elements.

The limitation of foreign immigration.

Closer relationship of pure Americanism.

The upholding of the Constitution of these United States.

The sovereignty of our State Rights.

The separation of Church and State.

Freedom of speech and press.

The much needed local reforms.

Dr. Davis stated that a man must not only be a native born white gentle American citizen, owing no allegiance to any foreign government politicians, but he must be a law-abiding citizen.

Dr. Davis stated in his address that the Klan was a pure 100% American organization and essential to the life of our government. That its members took an oath of allegiance to the Constitution of the United States. And swore to aid and assist the proper constituted authorities at all times and all places, when called upon to do so.

The organic and operative life of the Klan was touched on in detail, and it was stated that the Klan was legal in every respect, being passed on by the supreme authority. And the manner in which the Klan aided in law enforcement was outlined, and what an essential organization that it was the life of proper enforcement of law. It was stated that the Klan had never in one instance been proven guilty of law violation.

The following facts were also given for publication: There are 35,000 Knights of the Ku Klux Klan in Missouri and the following towns in Southeast part of the state had been organized or was under the process of organization: Cape Girardeau, Morehouse, Caruthersville, Hayti, Steele, Jackson, Chaffee, and Kennett. The State will go under State government in the near future. There are twelve states at the present time under state government and a number ready to form their state organization. It was stated that every state in the union was under the process of organization or had already been organized. Texas leads in membership with 215,000; Ohio and Illinois are close seconds, Oklahoma third, with 92,000; Arkansas 81,000, Nebraska and Kansas with over 50,000 each.

Dr. Davis informed us that there were United States Senators, Governors, United States Congressmen and other officials as low as the town marshal, so long as they meet the qualifications as law abiding citizens. He contradicted the rumors that this order is put over on Masonic or Odd Fellow influence, stating there was no affiliation at all other than the fact over 90 per cent of its membership were members of both lodges.

It is rumored that a large class was initiated in to the Invisible Empire at a late hour last night. The sentiment seems to be that an organization of this nature could accomplish a world of good in this community.

There will be a second lecture given in the city sometime this week.

Raymond Moll, of Grand Chain, Ill., motored to Sikeston Sunday. He returned Monday morning, accompanied by his wife and children, who have been visiting Mrs. Moll's parents, Mr. and Mrs. J. N. Sheppard, for a few weeks.

One of the most enjoyable dances has been given in Sikeston this season was given Thursday evening at the Fair round Pavilion, with the Misses Bowman, Blanton and Dover as hostesses. The dance hall was tastefully decorated in green and white. Music was furnished by the Kid Orchestra. About one hundred and fifty guests were in attendance. The evening being delightfully cool, the dancers enjoyed every minute of the time. At midnight refreshments of sandwiches and cherry sherbert were served.

SIKESTON STANDARD

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ANNOUNCEMENTS.

FOR CONGRESS

We are authorized to announce
Giboney Houck as a candidate for the
nomination for Congress from the
14th District, on the Democratic ticket,
subject to the will of the voters at
the primary election to be held on
August 1.

COLLECTOR OF REVENUE

We are authorized to announce Emil
Steck, of Farnett, as candidate for
Collector of Revenue of Scott County,
on the Democratic ticket, subject to
the will of the voters at the primary
to be held Tuesday, August 1.We are authorized to announce R.
L. Buck as a candidate for the nomi-
nation as Collector of the Revenue of
Scott County, on the Democratic
ticket, subject to the will of the voters
at the primary election to be held
August 1.

PROBATE JUDGE

We are authorized to announce Thos.
B. Dudley, of Benton, as candidate for
re-election for Probate Judge, of Scott
County, on the Democratic ticket, sub-
ject to the will of the voters at the
primary to be held Tuesday, August 1.We are authorized to announce
Chas. A. Leedy as a candidate for elec-
tion to the office of Probate Judge of
Scott County, on the Democratic ticket,
subject to the will of the voters at
the primary to be held Tuesday, Aug-
ust 1.

RECORDER OF DEEDS

We are authorized to announce
Axel Kjer, of Ilmo, as candidate for
Recorder of Deeds of Scott County, on
the Democratic ticket, subject to the
will of the voters at the primary to be
held Tuesday, August 1.We are authorized to announce Lee
J. Welman, of Benton, as candidate
for re-election for Recorder of Deeds,
of Scott County, on the Democratic
ticket, subject to the will of the voters
at the primary to be held Tuesday,
August 1.We are authorized to announce
Leo Pfefferkorn, of Oran, as a candi-
date for nomination as Recorder of
Deeds of Scott County, on the Demo-
cratic ticket, subject to the will of
the voters at the primary to be held
Tuesday, August 1.

CIRCUIT CLERK

We are authorized to announce H.
F. Kirkpatrick, of Benton, as candi-
date for re-election for Circuit Clerk,
of Scott County, on the Democratic
ticket, subject to the will of the voters
at the primary to be held Tuesday,
August 1.

COUNTY CLERK

We are authorized to announce
Sherwood Smith of Ilmo, as a candi-
date for Clerk of the County Court of
Scott County, on the Democratic ticket,
subject to the will of the voters at
the primary election to be held Tues-
day, August 1.

FOR REPRESENTATIVE

We are authorized to announce Dr.
Fred L. Ogilvie as a candidate for
Representative in the Legislature on
the Democratic ticket, subject to the
will of the voters at the primary
election in August.

PROSECUTING ATTORNEY

We are authorized to announce B.
Hugh Smith, of Benton, as a candidate
for re-election as Prosecuting Attor-
ney of Scott County, on the Democra-
tic ticket, subject to the will of the
voters at the primary to be held Tues-
day, August 1.

JUDGE COUNTY COURT

We are authorized to announce R.
L. Harrison, as candidate for re-
election for Presiding Judge of the Coun-
ty Court of Scott County, on the Dem-
ocratic ticket, subject to the will of
the voters at the primary to be held
Tuesday, August 1.

Reed and the Women

St. Louis is assumed to be the main
center of Senator Reed's strength. It
is upon the vote of St. Louis that his
supporters pin their hopes for his
nomination. This is one of the curi-
ous phases of this paradoxical cam-
paign. A Democratic candidate for
Senator, repudiated by his party, is ap-
pealing to the Democrats of Missouri
to forget the past and restore him to
their favor, while he counts upon a
city that is overwhelmingly Republi-
can to maintain him in office! But it
is no less curious, and it is far more
significant, that in this Republic-
can city has arisen a genuinely Demo-
cratic movement to array the Demo-
cratic women of Missouri against the
candidacy of Mr. Reed. Two hundred
and fifty women of St. Louis have or-
ganized under the sonorous and mean-
ingful title of "The Association of
Missouri Women Opposed to James A.
Reed", having adopted a platform that
is one of the most scathing indict-
ments of a public official ever framed
in American politics, and with the slo-
gan "Rid us of Reed" as their rally-ing cry have called upon the women in
every county in the state "to band to-
gether for immediate action in the pri-
mary campaign against Mr. Reed".
They urge the Democratic women of
Missouri to organize "Rid-us-of-Reed
Clubs", "call meetings, distribute lit-
erature and placards, send out speak-
ers and write letters setting forth the
truth as to Mr. Reed's senatorial
record of obstruction, destruction and
reactionary policies."It is the record of all history that
every destroyer is himself destroyed
by the consequences of his own acts,
often by acts that he regarded light-
ly, as of little importance. Senator
Reed's chief weapon of obstruction
and destruction is ridicule and thru-
out his career he has hurled his shafts
at the aspirations of women for the
advancement of their sex and the im-
provement of their conditions. "He
has consistently maintained a superci-
lous attitude—sneering, insulting and
contemptuous in his treatment of pub-
lic measures advocated by women", de-
clares the platform of this association
of women organized to oppose him,
and the official annals of the Senate
support this assertion. Mr. Reed
might have opposed the suffrage, ma-
ternity and other measures vigorously
and aroused no enduring animosity if
he had done it respectfully and fairly.
But when he flayed the progressive
women of the country with his sar-
casm, scorn and ridicule he sowed the
seeds of political retribution that are
beginning to sprout.And it is not for these things alone
that the women of Missouri, and, for
that matter, of the whole country,
have reason to condemn and oppose
Senator Reed. There is nothing so
dear to the heart of womanhood as
peace. There is nothing so abhorrent
to womanhood as war. It is true that
in the circumstances of war women
have shown themselves to be fully
equal to men in the quality of their
courage and their patriotic devotion.
But none the less they hate war, as
they ought to hate that insatiate mon-
ster than consumes their loved ones
and destroys the substance of all the
high and holy things that womanhood
cherishes. And ever they want peace,
ever they pray for it. But there is no-
where in America a more determined
and persistent foe of peace than Jas.
A. Reed of Missouri. That is an as-
sertion that he would vigorously deny.
But it is his record that proclaims it.There are just two methods of main-
taining peace. One is to create and
to keep a military force so great that
no enemy would dare to assail it. It
is a method that is vastly expensive,
and it often fails. The other is to pre-
serve peace by agreement and co-
operation to remove the causes of war
and thereby to prevent the outbreak of
war. The latter method Senator Reed
has opposed in whatever form it has
taken, with all his vigor and all his
undeniable talents for opposition. It
is the only method by which we can
with reasonable certainty secure the
blessings of peace for our children and
their children, but Mr. Reed will have
none of it. And he is no less opposed
to the alternative. Is it not one of his
chief boasts in this campaign that he
opposed the army and navy proposals
with all his might? "I insisted that
our army should not exceed 100,000
men", he says, a mere skeleton of an
army, hardly large enough to form the
nucleus of an effective fighting force
in case of war, and no preventive of
war whatsoever. Senator Reed is
against any means for the prevention
of war, and he is against adequate
protection against war. Unless war is
prevented it is bound to come, and un-
less we are fully prepared for the
worst it is bound to be terribly de-
structive to us.This is a matter of the utmost con-
cern to the women of Missouri, for the
issue of peace and war means more
to women than any other, and the wo-
men of Missouri will be largely re-
sponsible for maintaining this unalter-
able foe of peace in the power of his
office unless they assert their right
and their might against him. His elo-
quent tribute to motherhood and his
cry that he "will not vote to send our
boys to fight in the quarrels of foreign
countries" are meaningless in the
face of his record whose certain trend
is to condemn our boys to fight
wherever the circumstances of inevit-
able war demanded and to make moth-
erhood a living symbol of agony.—
Globe-Democrat.One of the worst features of the
freedom of Ireland is the change in
names. Charles Burgess was Cathal
Brugha, but is now dead. A bullet
caused his death, not the change of
name. What a pity these good feel-
ings cannot get along without civil
warfare and mostly on account of re-
ligion, which leads one to suspect that
neither side has any to spare.Mrs. Kate Harris and daughters,
Misses Margaret Harris and Audrey
Chaney, and Mrs. Laura Smith, of
Sikeston, and Mrs. Louis Houck, of
Cape Girardeau, were guests of Mrs.
D. B. Riley and family Thursday.—
New Madrid Record.

About the Maternity Bill

In denouncing the Maternity Law
before audiences of Missouri voters
James A. Reed is simply setting up
his ignorance of science and his pre-
judice against advancement against
the enlightened opinion of American
womanhood, just as he set his person-
al opinion up against the combined
wisdom of his party two years ago.If he could have been at the Paris
Fair last August, when 460 Monroe
county mothers flocked to the tent
where two women were giving scien-
tific advice about the care of babies,
he would have realized to some ex-
tent, perhaps, that mother love is no
longer willing to place the life of a
child at the mercy of what he pleases
to call "mother instinct", which he
seems to think is an infallible guide.
Mother love now revolts against
the practice of the mother or grand-
mother or bewhiskered father chew-
ing bread and meat in a germ-infest-
ed mouth and feeding it to the child
that has not yet cut its teeth.This used to be the universal cus-
tom in Monroe county and in every
other locality in the country.It was not mother instinct, howev-
er, which influenced women to stop
this practice. It was education.Just as soon as a mother learned
that diseases were communicated
from one person to another by germs
she came to understand that if her
gums were infected or her throat dis-
eased or her lungs impaired with tu-
berculosis, she would transfer the ma-
lady to her little one when putting in
to its mouth, food that had been chew-
ed in her own.Mother instinct, probably inherited
from an ancestry which lived in a
hard climate and clothed itself in furs,
used to cause women to wrap their
babies in flannels and keep them in
well covered cradles in summer as
well as winter. They quit the prac-
tice when it was demonstrated that
much of the infant mortality in hot
weather was due to such an unwise
policy.Right here in Paris the Appeal
editor could point to children who
would long since have been in their
graves if mother instinct, which old-
fashioned men like Senator Reed
would exalt above scientific discovery,
should have been left to its own de-
vices.A mother who is unable to supply
sufficient natural nourishment for her
babe must sustain it with something
else. The chances will be against the
child if she simply guesses what will
be good for it, as she will do if she
listens to Mr. Reed and lets instinct
decide.The fact that mortality rate is
lower in cities and towns, where ex-
pert advice is always at hand, than in
rural districts, where mothers too of-
ten must shift for themselves, is in
itself a vindication of those who
would reinforce mother instinct with
scientific knowledge.We imagine that even an old-fash-
ioned man like Mr. Reed would not
declaim to farmers against the meth-
ods they now follow with a brood sow,
either before or after the birth of her
pigs, or that he would advise them to
trust to the sow and her natural in-
stincts for rearing the pigs to matur-
ity. If he did, the farmer would
laugh him to scorn, for he has
learned by long experience that the
thriftiest pigs are those whose moth-
er has been properly safeguarded and
nourished before they farrowed and
whose natural nourishment, as it be-
came insufficient, has been reinforced
by a ration that was properly balanc-
ed and easily assimilated.Now the Maternity Law, against
which Mr. Reed so foolishly raves, isintended to give to the mothers and
prospective mothers out in the coun-
try as well as in the cities, informa-
tion that will mean just a smuch to
them and to their offspring as that
which is used so advantageously by
the farmer in connection with a brood
sow to wend its offspring.Under this law there is no intrusion
on the expectant mother and no med-
dling with her activities. As soon as
she lets the public health nurse or
other proper authority know that she
is pregnant she begins to receive in-
formation of the most scientific sort
and which can be turned to the most
practical advantage. She is instructed
in matters of diet, exercise, etc., for
every stage preceding childbirth and
for the months succeeding that event.
Methods that have been vindicated by
millions of practical tests are describ-
ed. It is information any family phy-
sician is glad for a woman to have
and which he too often is unable to
supply, having never made a special
study of the subject.The Government, of course, does not
force this service on anybody. It is
eagerly sought by expectant mothers
and by those who recognize the awful
responsibilities incident to preserving
the little lives that have been linked
up with their own.To seek to prejudice women against
this service, because some of those
connected with it are unmarried, as
James A. Reed does, is just as un-
thinkable as to discredit a life-giving
medicine because the family physi-
cian who prescribes it has never made
any medicine himself. And while he
is seeking to prejudice farmers and
their wives against the MaternityLaw because some of its advocates are
childless women, he could, if he dared,
likewise prejudice them against bet-
ter methods for handling hens and
raising chickens, since the best au-
thorities on poultry culture are men
and women who have devoted their
lives to the study of chickens and
their diseases instead of to gathering
eggs and handling hens on the farm.Any mother, we believe, would rat-
her consult what Senator Reed
sneeringly terms "An Old Maid", if
she has a profound knowledge of what
to do for the prospective mother and
babe before and after birth, than to
trust her own life and the life of her
child to her own instincts or those of
some old granny who believes in chew-
ing food for babies and dosing them
with roots, "yarbs" and simples which
have no medical properties at all.Senator Reed, we feel sure, would
not sneer at a childless physician who
had made a special study of maternity
problems. Why then should he sneer
at a childless woman who does so.
And since he himself has never been a
parent, why should he claim to be
such an authority on parent instinct?The Appeal believes that state-
ments the senator makes about the
Maternity Law advertise him as a
man who is out of sympathy with
modern discovery or one who is will-
ing to prejudice a community against
the best interests of its women and
babies in order to promote his own
selfish political ambitions.The fact that the women who died
in childbirth during the late war num-
bered more than the men we lost in
battle, and that something like 300-
000 babies die every year in America,
was back of the demand for the Ma-
ternity Law. Thousands of these
lives, it is believed, could have been
saved. The awful mortality rate
among mothers and babes, it now
seems certain, can be materially re-
duced. The law was originated among
women and put through Congress by
the efforts of women over the opposi-
tion of just a few old-fashioned states-
men who always shout, "You can'tlearn me nothing". If only one moth-
er or one babe is saved the law will be
worth a million times its cost.—Paris
Appeal.

\$5,000,000.00 LOST YEARLY

Farmers of Scott County Can Secure
Free Advice on Making Saving.Jefferson City, Mo., July 8.—Five
million dollars is lost yearly by the
people of Missouri and the farmers of
Scott County are losing their part of
this vast sum. Our loss can be stop-
ped.This loss is caused by producers not
knowing how to properly grade and
market their eggs. Commission men
find it very profitable to grade the
eggs they have purchased from farm-
ers.The State Marketing Bureau has
several expert egg graders in the
field instructing farm folks how to
grade their eggs so that the producer
may realize the very best market
price for that product.Any produce dealer can secure the
services of some of these expert grad-
ers by making application to Arthur
T. Nelson, of the State Marketing Bu-
reau. This service is free and meet-
ings will be held at places where in-
terest in the matter justifies. Every
produce dealer owes it to his trade to
secure these experts for demonstra-
tions and conferences and an early
application should be made as the serv-
ices of the men employed will be in
demand from all sections of the state.
If one of these meetings is held near
you, and you either sell or buy eggs,
it is certainly to your advantage to
attend the meeting.The Marketing Bulletin, published
by the State Marketing Bureau at
Jefferson City, is free to everyone and
the issue of July 15 will be dedicated
to the Egg Standardization Program
now being carried on throughout Mis-
souri. If you are interested in bet-
ter prices for eggs, fill in and mail the
following coupon to the State Market-
ing Bureau, Jefferson City, Mo.Name
Address
R. R. No.FOR SALE—One four-burner oil
stove in good condition, china cabi-
net and buffet, hall tree and lawn
roller.—Mrs. George W. Gould, North
Ranney St., Sikeston, Mo.Fordson Often Does More
In a Day Than Six Horses

The Fordson substitutes motors for muscles.

The Fordson substitutes tractor wheels for the
legs of man and horse.The Fordson takes the burden off flesh and
blood and puts it on steel.It allows the farmer's energy to be devoted to
management, and not merely to operation. It
gives him time. It cuts his producing costs.There's a big story of savings made possible
by the Fordson. Let us tell you. Write,
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Sikeston, Mo.

HON. CHAS. M. HAY

of St. Louis, will address the voters of Sikeston
and vicinity in behalf of Breckenridge Long's
candidacy for the United States Senate on

SATURDAY, JULY 15

AT 8:00 O'CLOCK IN THE EVENING AT THE

MALONE PARK

Mr. Hay is classed as one of Missouri's greatest
orators and he will present to the voters an
array of facts that cannot be denied. He was
an ardent supporter of Woodrow Wilson, his
Administration and the Democratic platform.He will give none of his time to insults and abuse of those
who differ with him, but will fill Reed's speeches so full of
holes that his warmest admirers cannot patch them up.The ladies are especially requested to be present and hear
the polished gentleman present Mr. Long's side of the case.Mr. Hay will speak at Charleston, Friday evening at
8:00 o'clock, coming from that point to Sikeston.

MUSIC BY SIKESTON BRASS BAND

"COMING ALL THIS WEEK!"

Billy Terrell's Comedians

Starting Monday, the 10th

22 — PEOPLE — 22
BAND AND ORCHESTRA

FEATURING

Billy and Bonnie Terrell

—ALSO—

Nero and Nero, the Musical Wizzards; Baby Mary, in
song and dance specialties; and Bending Brook
in back bending specialties.

Opening Play "The Girl He Couldn't Buy"

Prices 20c and 30c war tax included
Doors open at 7:30; curtain 8:15P. S. This show played 12 weeks in Omaha and
8 weeks in Sioux City

Buy this Cigarette and Save Money

NEW YORK

**Grove's
Tasteless
Chill Tonic**
purifies the Blood and
makes the cheeks rosy.

NEIGHBORHOOD NEWS FROM MATTHEWS

Mrs. Nannie Lee is very ill at this writing.

G. D. Steele went to Catron Friday on business.

Mrs. Louis Hunott was a Sikeston visitor Thursday.

S. S. Surface went to Charleston Saturday on business.

Luther Vaughn has just recovered from a severe attack of malarial fever.

Russell Stone of Sikeston was a Matthews visitor Saturday and Sunday.

Alfred Deane and G. D. Steele motored to Sikeston Saturday on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Dolen York of Big Opening were Matthews visitors Saturday.

Sheriff Ambrose Kerr, of New Madrid, was in Matthews Saturday, on business.

Mr. and Mrs. James Cormody and baby motored to Sikeston Saturday on business.

Mrs. John Rauh and two little sons are visiting relatives in Paducah, Ky., this week.

Mrs. W. A. Snigleton, who is attending school at Cape Girardeau, spent the week-end at home.

Mr. and Mrs. Francis Steele and little daughter of New Madrid were guests of Mrs. Mary Steele, Sunday.

Miss Flossie Reed returned Sunday from Farrenburg, where she has been visiting her sister, Mrs. Alville Fulkerson.

Mr. and Mrs. James Midgett and

Mrs. W. O. Vinson of Kewanee were guests of Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Deane Sunday.

Mr. and Mrs. Jim Batt and children of La Forge spent Saturday and Sunday with Mrs. Ball's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bob Hale.

Mr. and Mrs. Amos Buchanan little son Bryan of Sikeston spent Sunday with the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Hill.

Mr. and Mrs. Elmer Caldwell and baby, of Sikeston, visited the latter's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Tom Brooks, Saturday and Sunday.

Misses Marie and Mary Deane returned Sunday from Cape Girardeau, where they have been the past few days, visiting relatives.

Mr. and Mrs. Claude Randolph and little son of Pharris Ridge were guests of the latter's mother, Mrs. Nannie Lee, Saturday and Sunday.

Mrs. Dora Waters and daughter, Miss Dorothy, niece, Miss Glenda Waters, left Saturday for an extended visit with relatives in Southern Illinois.

Mr. and Mrs. Tom Burch and children returned to their home in Chicago, Thursday, after a week's visit with Mrs. Burch's mother, Mrs. Tenny Burch.

Mr. and Mrs. J. R. King and family, Mr. and Mrs. Fred Story and children, Mr. and Mrs. Leon Swartz and family, Mr. and Mrs. Clarence Stewart and son, Mr. and Mrs. Albert Deane and little daughter, Mesdames W. O. Carroll, Emma Andrews and Miss Beatrice Andrews enjoyed a fish fry on Little River, Sunday.

Coroner D. A. Chiles was notified by telephone Saturday to bring Contable Deane immediately and come to Pharris Ridge, a man had been murdered. Coroner Chiles and W. H. Deane, Prosecuting Attorney Massengill of New Madrid went to the place and found a man by the name of Sharp dead. He had been shot by one Archer, with a double barrel shotgun in front of Archer's house. It seems as if the killing grew out of an old grudge and on Saturday morning about 5 o'clock, Sharp, an aged man, started to hunt his cow. He had to pass Archer's house. After he had gone by, Archer sent to a neighbor's, borrowed his shot gun, saying he was going squirrel hunting. As Mr. Sharp came back, Archer emptied the contents of the gun in the victim's face and upper part of the body. Such was the verdict given by the witnesses at the inquest. The verdict of the coroner jury was murder in the first degree. Archer went to New Madrid and gave himself up to the sheriff and was put in jail to await his preliminary trial to be held Tuesday, July 11th. Archer has a wife and six children. The aged man Sharp, lived alone with his aged wife.

Even-Handed Justice.

A brawny blacksmith was appointed justice of the peace. The first case he heard was one arising out of the death of a cow under the wheels of a train. Plaintiff's counsel enumerated the many virtues of the late cow; described her gentleness; he told of the great bereavement to the immediate family, consisting of a young calf, and dwelt upon the heartlessness of a system which by its brutal carelessness had made stew-meat of the parent and an orphan of the offspring.

As he sat down, the new justice said, with a voice husky with emotion: "I've heard enough! Plaintiff wins!" and proceeded to enter judgment for the full amount of damages.

But the lawyer for the other side protested. He was silver-tongued, with automatic tear valves and a friction-proof jaw. Among other matters pertinent to the issue, he introduced the Union Jack, Magna Charta, and "Little Gray Home in the West", concluding the whole by bursting into a violent fit of weeping.

As he sank into his seat the justice wiped his streaming eyes, and in a voice quivering with sobs, exclaimed: "Well, that beats all! Defense wins!" —London Tit-Bits.

Father John L. Sullivan and Ben Welter are in St. Louis, having gone up Monday morning.

Geo. W. Pearman, County Clerk and candidate for re-election, was in Sikeston Monday and called on The Standard force.

Your Republican friend is thinking about Senator Spencer. That's the reason he looks that way. He's thinking of the foolish and harmful things the senator persists in doing and of how he has become the laughing stock of both parties at Washington since he assumed the role of champion for Newberry and Goldstein and undertook to keep Jesse Barrett from running for the senatorial nomination by a subterfuge that would have put a 10-year-old boy to shame. From a Democratic standpoint Spencer is a past master in the art of doing the wrong thing at the right time.—Paris Appeal.



HON. CHAS. M. HAY

who will address the people of Sikeston and vicinity at Malone Park Saturday evening at 8 o'clock.

Mr. Reed in Wisconsin

Senator Reed says he has been unfairly treated by the Post-Dispatch regarding the part he took in the Wisconsin campaign in 1920. The question was raised by a statement of Mr. Reed's opponent, Mr. Long, that "I never went to Wisconsin and campaigned for a Republican for United States Senator". In reply Mr. Reed declared that "Any man who said I campaigned for a Republican in Wisconsin is a liar." He explained that he went to Wisconsin to try to defeat the Republican Senator, Mr. Lenroot, who was seeking re-election, and further said that he had been entertained by the Democratic committees where he spoke.

The issue of veracity between the two candidates in the Democratic senatorial primary seemed to the Post-Dispatch a matter of genuine public interest. Was Mr. Long right or was Mr. Reed right? What were the facts? The place to get the facts, obviously, was Wisconsin, and, accordingly, a member of the staff was sent there. He got the facts from a man who should be familiar with them, namely, the chairman of the Democratic State Central Committee of Wisconsin, John P. Hume.

Mr. Hume's statement has been printed in the Post-Dispatch. Summarized it is this: There were three candidates for the United States Senate in Wisconsin, two Republicans and one Democrat. Lenroot was the regular Republican nominee and Jas. Thompson was the independent Republican, who had the support of the La Follette machine. The Democratic candidate was Paul S. Reinsch, a man of distinction, a former member of the faculty of Wisconsin University, who had served as Minister to China under President Wilson, a student of international affairs.

The issue was the League of Nations, Lenroot, the regular Republican, was for the League, with reservations. Thompson, the La Follette Republican, whose election Reed advocated, was opposed to the League unqualifiedly. Reinsch, the Democrat, was for the League. Senator Reed's campaign in Wisconsin was against the Democratic party's policy and platform, for which Reinsch stood.

Mr. Reed never spoke a word for the Democratic candidate, Chairman Hume says, nor was he entertained by Democratic committees as such. He came to Wisconsin to help elect the La Follette candidate, was exploited by the La Follette press, and was entertained by La Follette and La Follette followers.

That is what the chairman of the Democratic State Central Committee of Wisconsin says. It is official. The Post-Dispatch believes it is true. Mr. Reed is not accused, on this score, by the Post-Dispatch or by our political writer. Mr. Reed is accused by the Democratic organization of Wisconsin and convicted by the facts. —Post-Dispatch.

Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Matthews, Jr., are in Jefferson City for a few days. Mr. Matthews will attend a meeting of the State Highway Commission while there.

Tablets of Stone Were Small

Chicago.—Popular pictures of Moses and his "two tablets of stone" bearing the ten commandments, usually represent him as bringing down from the mount two great stone slabs two or three feet long and about two feet broad, which, according to George L. Robinson, professor at McCormick Theological Seminary here, is absurd. The tablets were very much smaller, Dr. Robinson believes.

"I brought back with me from Mount Sinai in 1914 two blocks of red granite", Dr. Robinson said, "which I have carved and cut and inscribed with the ten commandments in the ancient Hebrew character, and so made into 'tablets' of stone such as Moses, the great lawgiver, brought down from the Mount.

"They are 5x3½x¾ inches in size, exactly the size of corresponding tablets of Moses' time, the Tell el-Amarna tablets found at Tell el-Amarna in Egypt in 1887". Dr. Robinson said the showing of these tablets had always caused great comment, because of their size. Dr. Robinson, who has gained wide reputation as an interpreter of ancient civilization" has spent several vacation years in the Near East, exploring and excavating in his search for original sources. He recently made three addresses before the State conference of the Presbyterian church at Decatur in which he detailed some of his discoveries and experiences in travels through Palestine.

In one of his addresses he spoke on the topic "Why Moses Wore a Veil", offering on original interpretation.

"Moses came down from the mountain after 40 days with God" and his face "shone", literally "horned", he said, "and so when St. Jerome translated the Hebrew of Exodus, chapter 34: 29-35, he translated it literally into the Latin of the Roman Catholic Vulgate, 'cornutam Moyses faciem'—Moses' face horned".

"Accordingly, when Michael Angelo carved a huge statue of Moses, he being a reader of St. Jerome's Vulgate, carved horns, literal horns, on Moses' brow.

"But, after delivering his message to the children of Israel, Moses put a veil on his face, not because the glory of his countenance dazzled Israel's eyes, nor to teach modesty and humility, nor to obscure the things that ought to be made plain; not even to conceal vanishing glory; but to teach that there is but one source of prophecy—God, and especially to screen himself from contamination with the world.

"To gaze upon the sin and wickedness and uncleanness of the world leaves its mark on one, even as fellowship with God leaves a halo. Christians, therefore, should screen themselves from evil, by which I mean they should not gaze upon sin and lust, etc., with approval. I do not mean the Christians should shut their eyes to sin; or isolate themselves from the world, but that they should not gaze with pleasure upon the wickedness of the world, but rather try to correct it. For one bears in his countenance his best credentials.

"An Arab proverb is 'walk with the lame and you'll become lame yourself'. A Hebrew proverb is 'keep near the seller of perfumes if you wish to become fragrant'."

To Explore the Sahara.

Under Rothschild auspices, a zoological expedition, composed of one Englishman and one Scotchman, is forcing its way deep into the heart of the Sahara Desert, a region which is practically unexplored zoologically.

At its head is Capt. Angus Buchanan, a zoological explorer of great skill and experience. The expedition has been sent to find and collect birds, animals and plants wherever it is able to penetrate, to look for any traces of Roman or other classical civilization in the Central Sahara, and to secure camera and motion picture records of the habits, customs and general mode of life of the inhabitants of the country.

The expedition, with its camel caravan, is now heading for the desert north of the Nigeria. Communications are necessarily very irregular, for there are only five main roads across the desert, some of which have never yet been traveled by Europeans. Once Capt. Buchanan leaves the French post of Agades, there may be no news from him for months.—Living Age.

Crown Prince on Horseshoes

"Whenever the spirit moves me," says the former German crown prince in an interview with The Times of London, "I go to the shop of my farrier friend, Luit, and make a few horseshoes". Truly the heir of the Hohenzollerns could not have chosen a more romantic pastime for his secluded existence at Wieringen. Was it not the valiant Siegfried who spent his youthful days at the anvil of Mimi until he repaired the sword "Nothung", and with it destroyed the dragon and so released the all-powerful, all-mischief-making Rhinegold? Of course the Siegfriedian heroics ended on the fourth day of the epic in a somewhat dreary twilight, as anyone with visions of making romance repeat itself should remember. All well-wishers of the former crown prince will hope that his forging ambitions will not soar too high.—Christian Science Monitor.

Miss Francoise Black entertained with a twelve o'clock dinner Sunday. Covers were laid for Miss Addie Dover, Miss Lottie Dover, Miss Mary Blanton, Miss Catherine Blanton, Miss Leona Gallivan of New Madrid, Miss Francoise Black and Miss Hilma Black.

Indians from Montana, California and British Columbia will join the Yakima Indians during a big fish carnival held at Prosser, Wash., to celebrate the victory of the Yakimas over the State of Washington, which for years has been trying to exclude the Indians from spearing salmon at the falls as fish are on their way up the river to spawn. The Indians, defeated in State courts, went to the Supreme Court of the United States, and won their case. Salmon caught in this manner are dried and smoked for winter food.

LILBOURN MAN FOILS YEGGS IN TOWN BANK

Lilbourn, Mo., July 8.—After smashing the glass in a rear window to gain entrance to the Bank of Lilbourn here early today, two yeggs were frightened away when Charles Shelby, living over the bank, was awakened by the noise, and started to make an investigation.

Only 40 cents in change left on a table in the office, was taken.

No attempts had been made to blow the safe.

Tracks in the mud outside the window where entrance was affected indicated that there were two men. Shelby said that he did not see them. He was awakened by the crash of falling glass at 3 a. m. and started down the stairs to make an investigation, he says.

Bloodhounds were called from Cape Girardeau and placed on the trail at noon today.

C. L. Stevenson is president of the bank, and J. E. McCord, cashier.

Mrs. Freeman Le Sieur and daughter Camille, arrived Monday for a visit with her son, F. N. Le Sieur.

Mrs. J. L. Tanner and Mrs. C. C. White attended the meeting of the Democratic women, held in Benton Saturday afternoon.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Dover motored to St. Louis Sunday morning. Mr. Dover returned Monday and Mrs. Dover will remain a while. Mrs. Laura Slack will be at home with Mrs. Dover's little family, while she is away.

Miss Ruth Baker, who has been on an extended visit in Charleston and Sikeston, returned to her home in Memphis, Tenn., Monday morning. Her brother, Wollard Baker, who has been visiting here also, returned with her.

Waters of the River Jordan in Palestine are to be developed into power to turn the wheels of new industry. The British government has granted a concession to run for seventy years for the utilization of the river. The energy obtained will be used to light houses and streets, pump water, railway and other power purposes.

Mr. and Mrs. Lloyd Williams and Mr. and Mrs. Roland Williams of Lansing, Mich., are visiting their mother, Mrs. Ella Williams at the Harry Dover home. They arrived in Sikeston Saturday, the trip being made by automobile. They will leave Tuesday for St. Louis to visit with their sister, Mrs. Harry Dover, who is visiting there.

A temperature of more than 50,000 degrees, 20,000 degrees hotter than the hottest stars, was obtained in a recent experiment at the University of Chicago by discharging a large quantity of electricity from a condenser through a very fine wire. The metal tungsten was actually changed to helium by means of this enormous heat.

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NEW MADRID COUNTY REAL ESTATE SALES

Dr. C. W. McGee and wife, Zora Gunterman, of New Madrid County: Lot 14 in block 52 of the City of Morehouse, New Madrid County, Mo. \$850.

J. P. Berry and A. M. Foster, deacons of the Tallapoosa Assembly of God. Lots 1 and 2 block 9 of Himmelbecker-Harrison Lumber Co.'s 1st addition to Tallapoosa, Mo. \$1.00 and exchange of property.

Bessie A. Hamilton and O. O. Hamilton, her husband to T. N. Hubbard, all of New Madrid County: A parcel of ground in the city of New Madrid, fronting on Emerson street and adjoining property now owned by A. T. Henry. \$800.

Celia A. Keith, a widow, to Isaac and Dora Henley all of New Madrid County: All of lot 6 in block 12 in the city of Parma. \$100.

J. D. Parks and wife of Little Rock, Ark. and Howard Parks and wife of Dallas, Texas, to Everett Stepp. All of a certain piece of real estate with all improvements thereon and located on the North Side of Mott street beginning at a point 80 feet west of line street, thence running west 7 feet more or less, to an alley, in Jno. E. Powell's 2nd addition to the city of New Madrid, in block 12. The intention being to convey all of said lots less 80 feet off of the east end. \$900.

Lee Hunter and wife of city of St. Louis to Rueben Trotter of New Madrid: 8½ of lot 9 in block 8 in Jno. Powell's 4th add. to City of New Madrid. \$235.90.

Marriage License
Roy Robbs and Maude Eby, both of Farrenburg.

Wil McGill and Etta Murrill, both of Gideon.

Ned Bledsoe and Della McLaughlin, both of Matthews.

Edward A. Wenz, of Dedham, Mass. and Mabel Irene Bailey, of Malden.

SPEAKER O'FALLON DIES SUDDENLY

Oregon, Mo., July 10.—Samuel F. O'Fallon, speaker of the Missouri House of Representatives and a candidate for the Republican nomination for justice of the supreme court in Division No. 2, fell dead of heart disease at his home here Saturday night.

Mr. O'Fallon, who had served as speaker during the last two regular sessions of the legislature and the special sessions since 1919, was 65 years old, a leading lawyer of the northwestern part of the state, and representative from Holt County. He had served as prosecuting attorney and probate judge, was president of two banks, and the owner of a large stock farm. He is survived by his wife, but no children.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Van-Horne motored to Benton Saturday afternoon. Japan's 60,000,000 population consumes 300,000,000 bushels of rice a year.

A silk floss or silk cotton, known as kapok, is obtained from the fruit of a tree found in the Dutch East Indies, Ecuador, Brazil and India. The yellow silky mass is taken from the pods and dried on cement floors.

Announcement

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